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when shrewd detective
reaches secluded cottage
where insane woman left child.
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LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT

ONLY EVENING PAPER IN NORTHWESTERN OHIO (LIMA'S BUREAU NEWSPAPER) WITH THE ASSOCIATED PRESS LEASED WIRE.

STORY OF OLD ARTIST IS
one that fascinates the
young folks of Lima.
Mary Pickford tells about it.—
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LIMA, OHIO. FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 19, 1916.

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ITALIANS FALL BACK IN TYROL

AUSTRIAN OFFENSIVE GAINS GROUND IN TRENTINO.

NEW TEUTONS AT VERDUN

ENGLISH BOMBARD A TURK FORTRESS IN EGYPT.

Although the Austrian offensive on the Italian front is meeting with stiffer resistance than at the outset, ground is still being wrested from General Cardona's forces, which according to unofficial reports have at points been pushed back as much as five miles.

The main line of attack is in the southern Tyrol where the recent near approach of the Italians to Rovereto had threatened that place, a key position in the defense of the front. The latest report from Vienna shows continued progress for the Austrians in the valleys south-east of Rovereto, their forces crossing the frontier by capturing the Maggio Ridge and working into Italian territory as far as Costabellia, which was captured.

Counter attacks by the Italians have not resulted in any territory being won back from the Austrians according to the Vienna war office which also claims the capture of more than 900 prisoners and machine guns. The Austrian losses are reported to have been small.

There has been notable fighting on the Verdun front where the Germans have thrown fresh troops into the conflict. Two new divisions attacked the French lines west of the Meuse between the Acovert wood and Hill 304 and succeeded in obtaining a footing in a small post near Hill 287, east of the wood. Elsewhere, according to this afternoon Paris bulletin, the attacks were repulsed, as was a German attack on the fort on the northeast slope of Hill 304, which the French took the previous day.

According to Berlin advices, Russia, believing that the treaties recently concluded between Rumania and the Central powers go beyond the bounds of commercial agreements and have political significance, has taken measures to ascertain the circumstances which gave rise to the conclusion of the treaties.

TURKISH FORT SHELLED.

Austrians Continue Advance on the Italian Front.

LONDON, May 19.—British warships and aeroplanes have bombarded the town of El Arish, in Egypt, near the border of Palestine, and are believed to have destroyed the fort there. It was announced officially today. El Arish is on the Turkish line of communications from Syria to Egypt.

BERLIN, via London, May 19.—The Austrian offensive south and southeast of Rovereto is making progress daily. The Austrian front already has been advanced five miles in places.

These gains have been made in the face of great difficulties. The mountains are still covered with snow. The Austrians fought their way ascending and descending slopes varying in altitude as much as 4,000 feet within a mile. Despatches from Austrian headquarters indicate the successes achieved are due to the superiority of the artillery, which has such a crushing effect that it is possible to launch infantry attacks after comparatively short preparation.

Captures of men and war materials are increasing daily. The number of prisoners now exceeds 7,500. The Austrians also have taken 31 cannon and 35 machine guns. The positions captured have been in the hands of the Italians for months. They include points to which the Italians attached the greatest strategic importance.

Austrian troops are continuing to advance at points on the Italian front, the official statement of May 18 says, although the Italians are undertaking vigorous counter attacks. The Austrians crossed the Isonzo valley and captured Costabellia.

PARIS, May 19.—Violent fighting on a large scale was resumed on the Verdun front last night. Two fresh divisions of German troops attacked French positions at Acovert wood and Hill 304, west of the Meuse. The war office announces the at-

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Weather for Ohio and Vicinity

Fair and continued
cool tonight and Saturday.

Temperature at Solar Refinery

4 a. m.	40
9 a. m.	61
12 m.	65
2 p. m.	66

Summary of THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT Friday, May 19, 1916.

LOCAL.

Public school art exhibit to open.
Forehand men are paying taxes.
Christian Science is set forth by William Rathvon.
K. C. to initiate big class.
Lima pilgrims will go to Carey.

Suit against gas company is withdrawn.
Trial of Carters postponed again.

Distracted mother is refused aid by police.
Carters petition for an injunction.

Will complete plans for Memorial day.
Peace and birthdays observed.
Ministers asked to preach on peace.

Company C gets important order.
T. P. Riddle in congressional fight.

NATIONAL.

American takes up vocational training idea.
Ninety Villista prisoners released.

No jails for militants after war.
What goes down under peace talk.

Reading advance in Wall Street.
FIRE.

Car and ladder exchange wounded prisoners.
Italians fall back in Tyrol.

TELEGRAPH TIPS

FREMONT.—Ralph, 4 year old son of Herman Polter, of Sandusky township, died yesterday. He had taken a quantity of belladonna tablets, which he found on a window sill.

CINCINNATI.—Clinging to a rope, George Menges, a farmer living two miles south of Harrison, Ohio, last midnight struggled in vain to save the life of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Frank Betscher, 53, who had thrown herself into a cistern. Mrs. Betscher and her husband were living temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Menges. Mrs. Betscher was suffering from extreme nervousness.

COMPANY C. GETS IMPORTANT ORDER

Will Only Need Five Men However to Fill Quota.

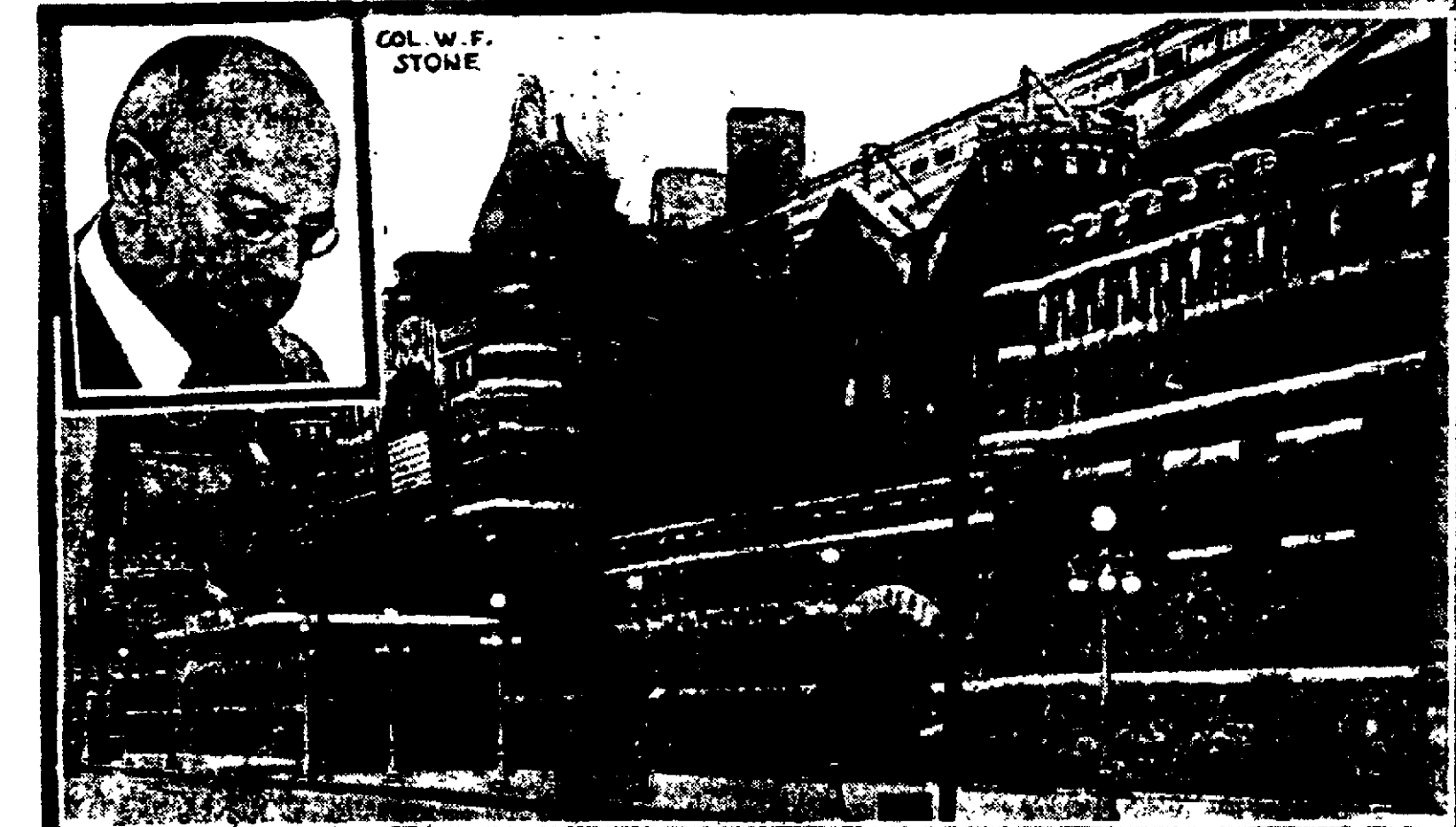
Captain Clark Creps of Company C, Ohio National Guard, of Lima, has received orders from the office of Adjutant General Benson W. Hough, to increase the number of members of the company to peace strength. This order when carried out means that the company will be made up of 65 men and there officers. Creps stated today that this made it necessary to add five men to the present number.

At the same time company, battery and troop commanders of the Ohio National Guard have been ordered to secure volunteer lists of desirable men to be used as a basis and nucleus for recruitment to war strength, if it becomes necessary.

All officers of the Second regiment in this city are looking for orders which will send them to the Mexican border. Although company commanders throughout the state have been receiving many orders from Adjutant General Hough in the past couple of months, the late commands are becoming so explicit as to point to mobilization.

According to Adjutant General Hough, the Erie railroad company has shown much forethought if it is necessary that employees of the railroad, as members of the Ohio National Guard are called for military duty. In case of war, employees called to the front will be granted leave of absence with full pay. In addition to this they will be allowed their regular vacation.

Where the Fight For War Or Peace Begins In Chicago June 7



This photograph shows the Coliseum in Chicago, where the republican national convention will begin June 7. It may be as lively a show as the last national convention. Col. W. F. Stone, the sergeant-at-arms, is now on the ground, very busy making arrangements.

DISTRACTED MOTHER IS REFUSED AID BY POLICE OFFICER

Department Has No Time to Head Off Runaway Boys.

Lads Catch Train and Are Now Far From Their Homes

Another case of negligence of the Lima police department was reported to a representative of The Times-Democrat, today, by a heart-broken mother on the west side of the city. She informed the day sergeant that her boy was going to leave the city on a certain train and was unable to obtain any satisfaction. If an officer had been dispatched to the scene immediately he could have taken the lad in custody and saved the mother much sorrow and a restless night, but as it is the erring boy is probably on his way to a distant city and his life is daily endangered.

The mother, who does not desire her name to be published, knew nothing of the intended departure of the lad until informed of his intention by a neighbor, who told her over the telephone that her boy intended leaving the city in company with another lad. On informing the police department that the boys were to leave on a certain train on the L. E. & W., she was told to call the juvenile officer. Although she insisted that a patrolman visit the railroad station immediately, which was just ten minutes before the departure of the train, the man in charge at the police station refused to send an officer.

On searching the room of her 15-year-old son following the information that he was running away from home, the mother discovered that he had taken all of his clothes. He left the city in company with another lad who is 17 years of age. It is believed that the destination of the boys was Muncie, Ind. A third lad was to have gone along with the others, but he backed out at the last minute.

The mother called George Barrett, juvenile officer, following instructions from the police sergeant, and though he did all possible to locate the boys, he was unable to get to the train before its departure. The mother claims that with the numerous patrolmen stationed at different parts of the city and the patrol wagon at police headquarters, there was no reason why they should not have given her assistance. She claims that in a case of this kind, it is the duty of police to make the arrest and then turn the prisoners over to the juvenile officer.

CUTS HIS WRISTS.

SPRINGFIELD, O., May 19.—J. C. Jennings, held by the police on a charge of gambling, was found bleeding to death in his cell at the jail from self-inflicted gashes across both wrists. Jennings was to have been tried today, but his condition was so serious that he could not be brought into court, and the case was postponed to May 25. Jennings is alleged to have fled John Goode, a traveling salesman, out of \$30 in a game called "Honest John."

T. P. RIDDLE FLINGS HAT INTO RING AND BECOMES CONGRESSIONAL FACTOR

By David W. Bowman.
Thomas P. Riddle, grain dealer and sometime conductor of the Ohio Corn Boys' trip to Washington and New York, has entered the race for congress. While reports of his intention have been current for a fortnight, his formal announcement, made public this afternoon, placed him on record as a candidate.

Riddle's announcement states his reasons for running (and indicates his lack of political experience) and he made the announcement from the district demands a new candidate, not connected with the campaign of 1914. Inasmuch as the strong Fourth Ohio should elect to Washington a Wilson democrat to uphold the policies of the president, he continues, the party must nominate a man of whose election there can be no doubt. His argument, interpreted in the light of the 1914 campaign, is that neither N. W. Cunningham nor J. Henry Goetz can displace Joshua Edward Russell, and that as he was not mixed up in that melee he will be acceptable to both factions.

Judging from the announcement, which is printed below, Riddle believes that there is a great demand for a "third" candidate, against whom no motives of vengeance or vindication can be employed. This

is in line with suggestion made by the Sidney News two months ago, to the effect that both Cunningham and Goetz should be eliminated in order to remove from the politics of the district the issues upon which the party split in 1914. This, on the face of it, anticipates the entrance of Goetz into the race, and although the Wapakoneta attorney has not announced his decision his prolonged silence is taken in many quarters to indicate that he has not abandoned the idea of running. In practically every county runner attaches to the possibility of another Goetz-Cunningham scramble, and it is nothing new for a prospective candidate to proceed upon the theory that this contingency is probable, although, as stated above, J. Henry hasn't opened his lips on the subject.

Riddle's statement, given out this afternoon, is as follows:
"Events during the past two years in the Fourth Congressional District have brought the democratic party to such a stage that a change is necessary in the issues and in candidates involved. Despite the great majority which the party boasts in the district we are represented at Washington by a republican, opposed to the policies of President Wilson."

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THE WAR A YEARS AGO

May 19, 1915.

Germans captured French trenches on heights of Lorette. British repulsed near Neuve Chapelle.

Austro-Germans forced crossing of the San river. Russians broke Austrian right in Rukovina.

Turks drove allies from advanced positions near Kara Burnu, Gallipoli.

German submarine sank two British steamers.

RODGERS MAY COME BACK.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, May 19.—Unconfirmed reports reached General Frederick Funston that James L. Rodgers, special agent of the state department at Mexico City, had received instructions to return to the United States. Mr. Rodgers has had difficulty in communicating with Washington, and his summons to this side of the border was said to be merely for the purpose of reporting more fully on conditions in Mexico.

YOU COULD BE ARRESTED FOR DOING THIS

Giving tips, smoking in a motor car, Sunday shines, family bridge parties and many other common practices are punishable in various states under obsolete blue laws. Full page of sepia photographs.

Unmaking History. Two pages of sepia photographs reproducing famous paintings of mythical events interwoven with history. Young Americans. Sepia photographs of youthful prodigies noted in various spheres of influence.

The Mystery at Woodford's. Short story by Wadsworth Camp. To a Mother Who Does Not Want Her Boy to be Shown. Bruce Barton discusses preparedness.

Olden Sold For Two Cent Stamps. A missionary's story. They Iron Heat in Rag Time. An Ohio laundry encourages music among the girls who work there.

With the Odds All Against Them. How wild animals act when trapped.

The Order of the Day. Short story by Mabel Nelson Thurston. Why a Millionaire. Our national tendency toward exaggeration.

Better Jobs Than Teaching. Some of them are more fascinating. The Man in the Stone House. An interesting serial continued. They Never Leave Their Office, and many other feature stories in EVERY WEEK With Tomorrow's Times-Democrat.

OHIO MAN ELECTED METHODIST BISHOP; FOUR ARE CHOSEN

First Minister Selected is President of Ohio Wesleyan University.

Three More Places in Episcopate Remain to be Filled.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 19.—Dr. Matt S. Hughes of Pasadena, California, was elected a bishop on the twelfth ballot, receiving 549 votes, or four more than was necessary. He is a brother of Bishop Edwin P. Hughes of San Francisco.

Following closely after the election of Dr. Herbert Welch of Delaware, Ohio, and Dr. Thomas Nicholson of New York, last night, the announcement was made to the conference this morning that the Rev. Adna W. Leonard of Seattle, Wash., had been chosen on the tenth ballot. He is a son of the late Rev. Adna B. Leonard, for many years prominent in Methodism. He is only 41 years old, being the third bishop of the Methodist church to be elected at so young an age.

DELAWARE, May 19.—Dr. Herbert Welch has been president of the Ohio Wesleyan university here since June, 1915. He was born in New York Nov. 7, 1862. He was graduated from Wesleyan university in 1887, and drew Theological seminary in 1890. He also attended Oxford university, Northwestern, Western Reserve and the University of Vermont. In 1890 he was ordained in the Methodist Episcopal ministry and began his first pastorate at Bedford Station, N. Y. He had pastorates at St. Luke's church, New York, and in Brooklyn, Middletown, Conn., and Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

PIPE LINE DIVIDEND.

FINDLAY, O., May 19.—Directors of the Illinois Pipe Line company today declared a dividend of \$12 a share to stockholders of record of May 26. Checks will be mailed June 25. The directors of the Ohio Oil company also declared a dividend of \$1.25 a share and an extra dividend of \$4.75 a share to stockholders of record of May 26. Checks will be mailed June 26.

90 VILLISTA PRISONERS ARE FREED

AMERICAN TROOPERS MADE SICK BY IMPURE FOOD.

MOTOR TRAIL ALL CUT UP

CAVALRY PROVES THE MOST USEFUL FOR SCOUTING.

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 19.—Ninety Villa prisoners captured by American cavalrymen in the engagement at Ojo Azules, Chihuahua, late in April, have been released, according to civilians returning to the border today. The prisoners were held some days and questioned in an attempt to obtain information concerning the movements of the various scattered bands and then released, it was said. At the military headquarters here the reports concerning the release were received with some surprise, although a number of prisoners have been captured during the campaign and six of them have been confined in the stockade.

A detachment of American soldiers encamped between Colonia Dublan and Namiquipa recently became ill after eating food purchased from the natives, and as a result several of the natives were taken into custody, the arrivals said. Military authorities have taken steps to prevent a repetition of the danger.

Heavy traffic over the motor truck trail from Columbus to Namiquipa has made it almost impassable, truckmen said. In some places the road, despite efforts of the engineering corps, has become so rutted as to make it impossible to travel faster than 3 miles an hour.

Some of the truckmen reported to the hospital upon their arrival suffering from illness presumably caused by the heavy jolting.

CAVALRY USEFUL IN MEXICO.

Aeroplanes Cannot Replace Horses For Scouting Work.

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, May 19.—One phase of the Villa chase noted by army officers has been that the value of cavalry for scouting and all-around fighting has not at all decreased. Notwithstanding the use of aeroplanes for scouting, the cavalry reconnaissance lost none of its military value. Four sets of conditions developed under which the aeroplanes could not scout in the fog, darkness, in rain and in cloudy weather. The cavalry did its most efficient scouting in darkness, or under cover of rain clouds. Every important fight with handits was accomplished under cover of night, which made surprise attacks possible.

Few persons, even those with the expedition, realized that the remarkable work of the auto trucks in maintaining the supply line was done largely as an auxiliary for cavalry operations. The daily for one soldier averages two pounds, whereas the daily ration for a horse is 11 pounds, so that the trucks were carrying a proportion of their loads for the horses.

For several weeks most of the cavalry campaigned without truck rations, either for man or horse, but this work brought out another distinctive value of thoroughly trained cavalry. This was the cavalryman's individual skill as a horseman, which enabled the men to keep their mounts alive and serviceable, not only on scanty fodder, but on no food at all.

In all their battles the cavalry fought as infantry, that is dismounted and with rifles or pistols. The difference between them and mounted infantry lay in the years of careful training which enabled them to keep the horses going under conditions so trying, that probably nine-tenths of the animals would have perished under the handling of any one except an expert horseman. It was this training which upset the predictions on the border that the big American cavalry horses would not stand up under hard mountain chases. For more than a month over distances aggregating about a thousand miles, the American cavalrymen kept the same mounts going, against an enemy which meanwhile rode his own horses to death and seized fresh horses when the Americans pressed too closely.

One change in cavalry armament has been discussed during the expedition, namely the abandonment of the sabre. Although enthusiastic cavalry officers in Mexico claim

that the usefulness of the sabre, a traditional weapon of American cavalry, still is open to discussion, this weapon usually has been left behind on V's chases.

CENTRAL CHURCH TO HAVE HOME COMING

The Rev. George W. Watson, who preceded the Rev. A. B. House as pastor of Central Church of Christ here, will be speaker at the evening service at 7:30 o'clock Sunday night at the home-coming exercises, which will mark the celebration of the dedication of the house of worship on West North street. He is now stationed in Lafayette, Ind.

An all-day meeting will be held. The Rev. W. A. Brundage of the Church of Christ at Bluffton, will speak at the morning service. Visiting members, absent members and those of prominence in the city will speak at the afternoon session.

A picnic dinner will be served, every family being urged to bring well-filled baskets. Special music will be a feature, led by the choir, under the direction of Miss Millie Sonntag.

LEEDY FUNERAL TOMORROW

Funeral services will be held at Pleasant View church, northeast of Lima, at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning, over the body of Samuel Henry Leedy, who died yesterday morning at 7 o'clock, after an illness of 18 months from cancer of the face. The Rev. Samuel Driver will officiate at the service. Interment will be made in the church cemetery. Mr. Leedy, who was a retired farmer, resided at 833 West North street.

INFANT'S FUNERAL

Funeral services for Dorothy Esther Murphy, month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Murphy, of 1152 Tanner avenue, will be held Saturday forenoon at 9:30 o'clock at the residence, conducted by the Rev. W. W. Constelin. Interment will be at Woodlawn.

The child died last night at 6:15 o'clock, after an illness of four days from pneumonia.

THE IDLER

H. M. Rooney and Fred Nordquist of the Y. M. C. A., will have charge of a week-end camp at McBeth's park, remaining at the latter place until Sunday. Most of the boys who attend school, will march to the park tonight. Members of the Boy Scout troupe will march to the park Saturday, and spend the day with the "Y" boys.

Bobby Hammond, who is speeding from San Francisco to New York in an automobile, will probably arrive in Lima on Monday or Tuesday of next week. He is trying to lower the record for a trip over Lincoln Highway, which is 10 days.

Dr. E. C. Yingling, of Beavertown, is in New York city taking an eight weeks' post graduate course. Dr. Black, of Columbus, O., is in charge of his office.

Mrs. A. E. Belch was removed from the Ohio Electric station to the City Hospital, where she will receive treatment, in the Williams and Davis ambulance. Her home is in Middleport.

Dr. W. B. Van Note of Lima, was elected councillor of the Third district of the Ohio State Medical association, at the closing meeting, in Cleveland.

BIDS OPENED FOR TWO PAVING JOBS

Bids opened in the office of Mayor Simpson this morning for the Bellefontaine and Jefferson avenue paving contracts showed Jameson and Blosser the low bidders on the latter, exclusive of the so-called Mack block, for which Michael O'Brien was the low man. Henry S. Enck put in the lowest figure for the Bellefontaine improvement.

The engineer's estimate for Jefferson street was \$18,780.30, while the Jameson and Blosser bid came to only \$13,115.43.

The awards will probably be made this afternoon by the board of control, but the contracts cannot be signed at once. Jefferson comes up under the bond issue of May 25, and as the bonds have not yet been sold there can be no contract signed. The money for the city's share of the Bellefontaine avenue improvement will come from the county.

DEVICE AN AID IN MAKING ACCURATE GOLF STROKES

A device that is designed to help beginners make accurate golf strokes is described in the June Popular Mechanics Magazine. It consists of a hinged wire which is fastened to the hat and adjusted in front of the eye so that the wire is in the line of vision between the eyes of the player and the ball when the stroke is to be made. It is very important to keep the head still and to keep the eyes on the ball when making a shot. This arrangement is intended to enable a player to realize any deflection of the eye or turning of the head and so check an inaccurate stroke.

T. P. RIDDLE FLINGS HAT INTO RING AND BECOMES CONGRESSIONAL FACTOR

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This is the direct result of the introduction into the party councils of issues which have no warrantable place in politics.

"Party harmony is essential to the success of democracy. In order to give to President Wilson and the state ticket the solid support which they deserve it is necessary for the democrats of the Fourth to unite and elect a member of the majority party to congress. That will be best accomplished by closing the split created two years ago. As that was brought about by the introduction of unfair issues and the division over an unjustifiable standard, which should not be tolerated as a political issue, it becomes necessary for the party to eliminate the issue by relegating to the rear the factors involved in that campaign.

"For Mr. Cooke and for Mr. Cunningham I have high personal regard, but it is my conviction that the unification of the democracy of the Fourth congressional district demands their elimination as representatives of rival factions. The great mass of democratic voters in the district desire the election of a Wilson democrat in November, and this is best assured by the selection of a new candidate not involved in the last campaign and devoid of all connection thereto.

"In view of the need of such a candidate, and against whom no motive of vengeance or vindication can be utilized, I shall be a candidate for the nomination, subject to the decision of the democratic voters of the Fourth district at the primary of August 8, 1916.—T. P. Riddle."

Elmer Hilly, of Bluffton, will be a candidate for the democratic nomination for the job of county surveyor. He filed his petition this morning, his signers being I. M. Jennings, R. P. Steiner, M. M. Bogart, J. S. Steiner and Noah Basinger, all of Bluffton.

Hilly was twice elected surveyor of Hancock county, in 1908 and 1910.

State-Owned Cotton Warehouses and Terminal Established at New Orleans

In the hope of displacing foreign markets in the distribution of American cotton and thereby enabling the southern planter to reap the full value of his crop, Louisiana has developed public warehouse and terminal facilities at New Orleans that permit 2,000,000 bales of cotton to be handled in a season. This enormous plant is described, with interesting illustrations, in the June number of Popular Mechanics Magazine.

The port now offers a deposit market where cotton can be shipped by interior buyers and held subject to their orders, and likewise where planters can store their product and await good prices. The project has been carried out at an approximate cost of \$3,500,000 and enables factors, f. o. b., and through cotton to be cared for with equal efficiency. That the plant may be operated at a maximum earning capacity, it has been designed to permit the storage of coffee, jute, tobacco, sugar, rice, and other commodities, during the part of the year when it is not needed solely for cotton. It is as well equipped for unloading ship cargoes and transferring them to freight trains as it is to receive products by rail and deliver them aboard river and ocean steamers.

All of the buildings are of reinforced concrete construction. These warehouses occupy about 24 acres of a 90-acre site fronting on the Mississippi river. An additional plot of some 60 acres is also held to furnish sufficient rooms for future expansion.

Twenty-two miles of belt-line tracks with a capacity of 2,000 freight cars serve the receiving, sorting, and operating yards that extend the full length of the property adjacent to its inner border. The delivery and receiving tracks accommodate the warehouses can care for 200 cars at one time.

A highly efficient system of handling and conveying the cotton has been evolved. This constitutes the most interesting phase of the plant. To begin with a mechanical device known as a cotton puller, a contrivance with ability to remove any specific bale from a pile without disturbing those adjacent to it, has been developed. The entire operation is performed in about three minutes and with the services of but two men. By the ordinary method the whole pile must be disturbed, a number of men employed, and a much greater amount of time consumed.

After a bale has been removed in this manner it is picked up by an automatic grapple which moves, lifts, and stacks the cotton. This device is supported by an overhead crane and controlled by an operator who rides the latter. It is able to handle from 75 to 125 bales an hour, lifting them from galleries and piling them orderly in the proper compartments.

ITALIANS FALL BACK IT TYROL

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troops in the main were unsuccessful although the Germans obtained a footing in a small post of Hill 287 which lies just to the east of Avocourt wood.

The Germans attempted to recapture the small fort on the northeast slope of Hill 304, which the French took on the preceding day, but their effort failed.

Infantry fighting was confined for the most part to the sector west of the Meuse. East of the river and in the Woerwaert the artillery was active.

The official statement says that the troops employed by the Germans in their attacks had recently been sent to the Verdun front.

Sub-lieutenant Navarre, one of the best known French aviators, who recently engaged in a fight with five German aeroplanes, brought down his tenth machine in an aerial combat at Dolant in the Argonne.

LONDON, May 19.—Augustine Birrell, who resigned as chief secretary for Ireland after the Sinn Fein revolt, appeared today as a witness before the royal commission which is conducting an inquiry into the Irish rebellion. The presence of the chief secretary aroused keen interest in view of the dramatic testimony given by Sir Matthew Nathan, former under-secretary for Ireland, at yesterday's hearing.

Sir Matthew testified that the government had had advance information regarding the German plans for aiding the Irish rebels, and Mr. Birrell was expected to give more details on this point.

At the outset of the hearing Mr. Birrell stated that he had read Sir Matthew Nathan's statement and that he did not know that there were any addition or modifications he wished to make. He then read a statement which he had prepared and which he described as a general manner with the main features.

MRS. BUCK'S FUNERAL IS CONDUCTED BY REV. HAGERMAN

The Rev. W. J. Hagerman, formerly pastor of Grace Methodist church, came to Lima today to officiate at funeral services over the body of Mrs. Margaret Buck of 522 East Fletcher street, held at 10 o'clock at Fletcher chapel, south of the city. Prayer services were held at 9 o'clock at the home. The body was laid to rest in Fletcher cemetery.

DAYTON MAN STRUCK DOWN ON UNION ST.

Michael Davin, of Dayton, was struck by an unknown assailant about 2:15 this afternoon and was injured to such an extent that it was found necessary to remove him to the City Hospital in the Williams and Davis ambulance. Several persons who witnessed the assault state that he was struck in the back of the head. However, latest reports from the hospital are to the effect that the injuries are not serious. Police were notified of the affair, but up to a late hour were unable to run down the party who committed the assault.

FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS TRUCK CHANGED

The Central fire station combination truck which is undergoing some changes at the Gramm-Bernstein plant, will again be ready for service, today. Although it was the first of the motorized equipment to be finished by the local motor company, Chief Mack asked that a few minor changes be made.

One of the changes found necessary after the truck had received a tryout was the removal of the chemical hose reel from the position formerly occupied to a place that would not retard the efforts of the firemen in placing hose in the big wagon.

The big steamer of the same station which was taken to the plant, where a tractor will be installed on it, will be ready for use within several weeks. It is necessary that much work be done in fitting this piece of apparatus with motor power. The tractor will be placed on a truck at the front in the same manner as the one on the aerial truck.

NEGRO ASSAULT AT LARGE

Efforts of police to take Frank Burke, colored, in custody for assaulting William Beasley, also colored, have so far been unsuccessful. If arrested he will be charged with cutting with intent to kill. The cutting fray took place yesterday on Irwin avenue.

Your want ads are always quickly answered in The Times-Democrat.

E. W. WILLIAMS, DIES OF THROAT TROUBLE

Veteran Horse Dealer of Lima Expires in Cleveland Hospital.

Edward W. Williams, aged about 55 years, for years manager of a large sale barn on South Main street, and liverman, died this morning in a hospital in Cleveland. For four weeks Mr. Williams has been receiving treatment for an affliction of the throat. A growth seriously interfered with respiration.

He was known among farmers and horsemen not only in the county, but all over Ohio. He purchased hundreds of head of horses, for shipment to the eastern markets. His livery was the favorite stopping-place for farmers when in town.

The widow and several children are left. The body will be accompanied to Lima tonight and taken to the home at 549 South Main street.

SUTHERLAND SUES THE C. H. & D. RAILWAY

John W. Sutherland, employed on June 30, 1914, on a work-train on the C. H. & D. railway company, sued the company today or damages in the sum of \$5,000 or alleged personal injuries. He was riding on the derrick car, when the train was derailed near Wapakoneta and he was caught in the wreckage.

SUIT FOR MONEY.

John S. Driver sued P. J. Columbus, George A. Shaw and L. E. Carter for money in the sum of \$162.91, being the amount due on a note given by them in favor of Driver.

DIVORCE GRANTED.

Mrs. Rose Bickford of 678 North West street, was today granted a divorce from her husband, Irvin Bickford. Gross neglect of duty and extreme cruelty was the grounds upon which the decree was granted.

CHILDREN SECURE PACKAGE OF SEED

Seeds to grow lettuce, radishes, corn, beans, tomato plants, zinnias and nasturtiums were given today to children who will cultivate gardens this year, under the auspices of the Civic league. Packages of seeds and plants will be distributed from the old city building on West High street, where annually the garden committee hands out these seeds. Mrs. Fred C. Becker, Mrs. W. W. Constelin, Mrs. A. L. Jones and Mrs. Edwin Blank handed out the packages to bright-faced youngsters today. Mrs. William W. Wilson, who is chairman of the garden committee, Mrs. Belle Thomas and Mrs. Howard Pears will be in charge of the distribution tomorrow.

Inspectors named for the year are Mrs. Milton Bowler, first ward; Mrs. F. C. Herold, second ward; Mrs. Ed Blank, third ward; Mrs. H. W. Pears, fourth ward; Mrs. W. W. Constelin, fifth ward, and Mrs. O. J. Rose sixth ward.

Children will be asked to note the amount of vegetables their gardens produce. In this way the committee of the Civic league will be able to reckon the practical good the children have done with their gardens.

C. B. MERCHANT TO BE BURIED AT MARION, O.

Funeral services for Christian B. Merchant, 69 years of age, who died yesterday afternoon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. D. Hamilton, of 338 North Charles street, were held in Marion this afternoon, the body being accompanied to that city this morning.

Death was due to a complication of diseases. For some time he had made his home with his daughter. He was sick four weeks. His wife died 20 years ago.

Surviving children are: Mrs. L. E. Cordery, of Bellefontaine; Mrs. Hamilton, at whose home he died; Mrs. J. C. Thornton, of Louisiana, Mo.; Mrs. W. P. Cass, of Marion, O.; Mrs. M. Nicholas, of Dayton; Harry J. M. Merchant and John T. Merchant, both of Marion.

CANNON IS HELD BY TEETH AND DISCHARGED

One of the somewhat novel feats exploited by a vaudeville performer now playing small towns throughout the south consists in holding a 200-pound cannon suspended from his teeth and allowing it to be discharged. The man stands on the top of two tables placed a number of inches apart. A chain attached at each end of the firing piece is looped through a leather strap to which a bit is fastened. Gripping the latter between his teeth, he holds the cannon, which hangs several inches below his feet. The bore has a diameter of 2 1/4 inches and contains a light charge of powder which when touched off causes the gun to recoil.—From the June Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Your want ads are always quickly answered in The Times-Democrat.

Lieut. Beverly Held For Treason In Ireland



THE AEROPLANE IN THE GARDEN OF EDEN

(By R. J. Bjurstedt, in the June Number of Popular Mechanics Magazine.)

On account of favoring atmospheric and meteorological conditions—the homogeneity and clearness of the air and the absence of protracted rains and fogs—lower Mesopotamia is rated as the best of all the theatres of war for effective aeroplane work. The first division of the Anglo-Indian expeditionary force were very inadequately supplied with aeroplanes, but such machines as they did have rendered inculcable service in reconnaissance flights above the baffling, ill-mapped labyrinth of canals, lagoons, and marshes which constitute the greater portion of the Tigris-Euphrates overflow district, a region which, roughly speaking, corresponds to the triangle enclosed by the two rivers and a line drawn from Kut-el-Amara to Nasirah.

The expeditionary force was short of aeroplanes even after Kut-el-Amara had been occupied last fall, and there is no possible doubt that adequate air reconnaissance would have revealed the presence of the heavy reinforcements the Turks were able to gather at Bagdad, and prevented the costly and almost fatal surprise which awaited General Townshend's impetuous division at Ctesiphon. With the fresh Turkish forces also appeared German aeroplanes and pilots, and during all the week of that desperate but masterly retreat of the British commander to his provisional base at Kut-el-Amara the command of the air—for the first, and probably the last, time in this region—was in the hands of the enemy. Not until a fortnight or more after Townshend's little force had been cut off and surrounded did the arrival of important aerial reinforcements at Basra give the British a really adequate aviation service.

The mystery of how Townshend has been able to hold out for four months on supplies of food and munitions that were never reckoned to be sufficient for even half that time will probably not be entirely solved until after the war, but enough is known to make it certain that the aeroplane and the wireless—those twin wonders of modern science—have been the principal factors in making possible this, in many respects, unprecedented defense against overwhelming odds. The wireless has winged Townshend's most pressing wants to Aymer, and Aymer's airmen, by hook or by crook, have supplied them. Indeed, it has even been given us to know how parts of the trick have been turned. The British censor, for instance, has allowed to slip by him a dispatch stating that garden seed and phonograph needles have been dropped into Kut-el-Amara from an aeroplane, while letters received in America from an officer taking part in the Mesopotamian campaign even tell of an organized aeroplane service plying regularly between the beleaguered and the relieving armies.

It did not take long to establish the fact that these "bombing" methods, while quite satisfactory for such trifles as garden seed and phonograph needles, could never be counted on to supply the beleaguered garrison with a quantity of the things it was really in such desperate need of. There was, therefore, a lull in "aerial relief" until a big level space for night landings had been cleared and lighted in the heart of the Kut area. From that time—about the middle of January—down to the present, there is good reason to believe, a regular and efficient aeroplane express service has been maintained between Aymer's relief army and the brave little force of Townshend in Kut-el-Amara.

SWIMMING POOLS FOR RECREATION AND SAFETY

(By John Anson Ford, in the June Number of Popular Mechanics.)

One of the most significant features of America's trend, during recent years, toward outdoor recreation and open-air living has been the rapid increase in the number of swimming pools in this country. It was so recently as in 1885 that Philadelphia established what was the first municipal swimming pool in the United States, so far as is known. Today the demand for wholesome outdoor recreation is so widespread that municipal pools are a part of the play facilities of almost every city; schools are equipped with pools; the homes not alone of the rich but of persons of moderate means have indoor and outdoor swimming facilities; great corporations are making similar provision for their employees, and such agencies as the Young Men's and the Young Women's Christian associations are spending enormous sums to make healthful swimming possible for the young men and women who belong to these organizations.

Aside from the recreative aspect there is another incentive for this movement which has found expression in so many different channels. Estimates based on the census figures of 1913, and previous years, indicate that persons are meeting death by accidental drowning at the rate of 8,000 or 10,000 annually. This fact in itself is sufficient reason for establishing facilities for supervised swimming in every city and village in the land.

The cost of constructing swimming pools or rather a misconception as to the cost—undoubtedly has prevented many communities from acquiring proper swimming facilities. As a matter of fact the cost of many pools has been very moderate indeed. Oakdale, Cal., is a town of 3,500 which has a pool that cost \$1,400. It is so situated that water from the pool is used from time to time to flush the sewer system. Concrete was used in the construction. The pool is in the form of an ellipse, measuring 40 by 60 ft., and has a maximum depth of 9 ft. The pool holds 100,000 gallons. The expense of maintenance has been made very light by placing it in charge of the fire department. The near-by river, which formerly was a source of anxiety to parents because frequented by the boys, is now deserted.

The town of Grand Rapids, Wis., has a swimming pool which cost \$5,000. The walls are of concrete and the bottom is covered with sand. As a special precaution against accidents in the water large sluice gates, which can be easily thrown open, were constructed, by which the tank can be emptied in two minutes.

But homes, as well as municipalities, institutions, public and private, and amusement parks, are now being equipped with swimming pools. In some cases these have cost less than \$100. Probably the record for cheap construction of a homemade pool is held by three brothers, the oldest of whom is 13 years. These boys did the excavating themselves for a pool 25 by 10 ft., and 3 ft. deep. On the flat ground around the pool, and along the upper edges of the slanting sides, boards were fastened to a framework which projected down into the earth at the bottom of the pool. The young workmen purchased 2 1/2 bbl. of cement and with the aid of one man covered the earthen walls and floor with a coating of concrete. Their total cash expenditure was only \$7.50.

In contrast to these swimming facilities the magnificent pool recently completed on an estate at Lake Forest, Ill., at an expense of many thousands of dollars the reservoir was built on the side of a bluff, some distance below the residence and overlooking Lake Michigan. A winding flight of steps leads from the house down to the pool. In addition, a shaft, in which an electric elevator is installed, was sunk directly beneath the house to a depth of 80 feet. From the lower end of the shaft a marble-lined tunnel, 150 feet long, was constructed to a splendidly appointed bath-house situated at the edge of the pool.

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THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

SENATE: Met at 11 a. m. Resumed debate on rivers and harbors appropriation bill.

HOUSE: Met at 11 a. m. Began last day of debate on shipping bill. Sundry civil bill carrying appropriation of \$127,000,000 was reported.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A marriage license was granted yesterday afternoon to John M. Coleman, 71, retired, of Angliatze county, and Anna Adella Humphreys, 69, of 415 Nye street. The Rev. O. W. Webb officiated at the marriage, which took place at his home. The bride is the mother of Mrs. James F. Barry of 415 Nye street, with whom she made her home.

DO NOT FERTILIZE CORN IN THE HILL.

Farmers will be tempted this spring more than ever before to fertilize corn in the hill because of the high prices of fertilizers caused by the European war, but this practice is false economy, according to Director C. E. Thorne of the Ohio Experiment Station. In the May Monthly Bulletin he explains that while a spoonful of fertilizer applied in the hill may give the corn a good start, spreading fertilizer over all the ground will be more profitable in the long run.

Since the roots of the plant extend out several feet around it, the fertilizer can be utilized better by the plant if spread over all the feeding surface. A spoonful put in the hill can be used by only a few roots close to it. Director Thorne says, "The plant roots can no more perform their full office around a single spoonful of fertilizer than can a swarm of bees fill their hive from one clover blossom, even though that blossom stood in an inexhaustible fountain of nectar."

Then again, corn cannot use all the plant food, and following crops will make best use of the fertilizer when it is spread evenly over the field. The increase in yield of these crops is often nearly as much as that secured in the crop fertilized. In one experiment at Wooster fertilizer has been applied only to wheat. The fertilizer has caused an increase in yield in the other four crops in the rotation of 86 per cent of that secured in the wheat crop. In a similar experiment at Strongsville the station this increase has been 87 per cent. When fertilizer is put only in the hill of corn, it is out of reach of 99 plants in every 100 of the small grains and grasses which follow the corn.

COMPLETE AUTOMOBILE TRAIN IN TEXAS

What is undoubtedly entitled to be termed the most modern of prairie schooners, a motor train consisting of a tractor and five enclosed cars, is described in the June number of Popular Mechanics Magazine. The train is being used to transport a telephone-construction and repair gang through sparsely settled districts in Texas. There are two sleeping cars, a kitchen car, a diner, and, at the rear, a "baggage" car in which everything needed by the workmen, except poles, is carried. The kitchen trailer is equipped with stoves, a sink, shelves for dishes, and other accessories. The diner is provided with one long table and a butlers' pantry, having warming ovens, in which food may be kept hot until served. The final touch is a telephone, which is installed at one end of the car.

AUTOISTS NOT HELD FOR GUESTS' DEATHS

ELYRIA, O., May 19.—A jury in common pleas court here holds that autoists are not responsible for the deaths of companions who are their guests. The decision was in the suit of Edward Olds, administrator, against George Frederick, of this city, for \$10,000 damages in connection with the death of Philo Olds, retired contractor, who accepted an invitation from Frederick for an automobile ride to Lorain and was killed near this city when the machine ran into a telephone pole. Frederick, driving the car, escaped injury.

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William R. Rathvon, C. S. B., member of the board of lecturership of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, appeared at the Fauror opera house last evening, giving an interesting lecture in which he portrayed the truths, as set forth in these teachings.

The opera house was filled with listeners. Members of the First Church of Lima assisted in receiving and welcoming those who attended.

Mr. Rathvon said in part: "To be healed in Christian Science, one does not have to understand it. Infidels frequently have been healed by it, but if one would understand it or apply it for himself he must believe in the Bible, for from first to last, from beginning to end, Christian Science is founded upon the Bible of our forefathers.

"Besides the Bible there is but one other text book of Christian Science, the book, 'Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures,' by Mary Baker Eddy, and this book I would commend to every one who would learn for himself at first hand the teachings and practices of Christian Science. A copy may be obtained through any Christian Scientist. How comprehensive and inclusive is that book may be seen when I name to you the headings of some of its chapters, as follows: Prayer; Atone; Christian Science versus Spiritualism; Animal Magnetism Unmasked; Science, Theology, Medicine; Physiology; Footsteps of Truth; Creation; Science of Being; Some Objections Answered; Christian Science Practice; Teaching Christian Science; Recapitulation.

"It is not the power of the human mind that heals in Christian Science, but the power of the divine Mind—God Himself.

"The word 'mind' as used in Christian Science, has a two-fold application. When used in its highest sense it always means God, unchanging good, and when so used in our literature it is always capitalized. This marks it clearly and differentiates it from the word 'mind' as ordinarily used, as when one would speak of the mind of man, the human mind and the like.

"When the dependent invalid recognizes that God never made a man sick nor a sick man; that on the contrary He has given to man unbroken health; that sickness is an illegitimate, abnormal, unrighteous, without divine law, recognition, or sanction, he is then ready to turn to divine Mind, God Himself, 'Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases.' (Psalms 103:3).

"A man's highest ideas of God can be no higher than his highest conceptions of good, but they should always be that high, for God is infinite, unchanging good.

"A thought of some kind is the foundation, the starting point of every action and right habit of thinking lead to right habits of living.

"Briefly to consider what constitutes prayer in Christian Science, let us take a few extracts from its text book, Science and Health. On the fourth page of the remarkable chapter on 'Prayer,' Mrs. Eddy uses these words:

"The spiritual struggle to be always good is unceasing prayer."

"What we most need is the prayer of fervent desire for growth in grace, expressed in patience, meekness, love and good deeds." And again on page 15:

"Self-forgetfulness, purity, and affection are constant prayers."

"The Lord's Prayer is repeated in unison at all Christian Science services, and it is invariably preceded by a few moments of silent prayer by the congregation. Besides this, there is one short prayer recommended for daily use. So simple is it, yet so reverent in its phraseology, so direct, yet universal in its inclusions, so free from every suggestion of sect or doctrine is it, that it can be unreservedly used by any sincere man or woman of any church or of no church. Here it is as Mrs. Eddy has given it to us:

"Thy Kingdom come; let the reign of divine Truth, Life, and Love be established in me, and rule out of me all sin; and may Thy Word enrich the efforts of all mankind, and govern them!" (Manual Art. VIII Sec. 4)

"Healing in Christian Science is always by means of prayer. The word generally used is 'treatment,' but it is always to be understood that a Christian Science treatment is a prayer, and just in the proportion that it is a righteous prayer, does it heal the sick and reform the sinner.

Gratitude Versus Discouragement. Christian Science is showing that true gratitude, the gratitude that is expressed in deed as well as in thought and word is more than a mere Christian grace; it is a Christian necessity. Not that God needs



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our gratitude, but that we need to give it to Him. Gratitude takes our thought from getting to giving, and he who gives good gets good.

"For every good that comes to you, let some thought of gratitude to God ring through the innermost chambers of your heart of hearts. Do this faithfully and soon you will be doing it easily and soon, too, you will find yourself so frequently in the sweet company of happiness that life will seem to be beginning anew. And it will be the beginning of new things, for gratitude is one of the gateways through which God's blessings enter men's lives. If we keep it shut, need we wonder why more of good does not come to us?"

"The man who is ill, the man who is unfortunate, the man who is afflicted, the man who has not that which he needs, if he wonders why, will do well to ask himself often, 'Am I grateful enough for what I already have?' And the man who is discouraged has but to invite gratitude into his consciousness to see discouragement vanish like darkness before the undimmed sun. And here let it be said that there is not one man on this green earth today, but who can find something for which to be grateful to God, if he will but hunt for it honestly and earnestly.

"Christian Science is tearing the mask from the gloomy face of discouragement and is exposing it in its true colors. It may be truly said that nine people out of ten submit to discouragement without resistance because they do not know any better. They do not know that it is not only bad but dangerous. They do not know that it is a mental intruder, a moral nuisance that should never be tolerated but always shunned as one would shun infectious disease."

TRAVELETTE BY NIKSAM.

BALTIMORE.

Every time you take a trolley ride in Baltimore you make two blades of grass grow where only one grew before. Baltimore has a unique system by which a certain percentage of every 5-cent carfare goes to build up the public parks. Thus the patriotic citizen who goes to his office of a morning swinging on the end of a strap with his neighbors standing on his favorite corns and spilling the polish of his new tan oxfords, has at least the comfort of his children with a place to pick daisies and play hide-and-seek.

Billy Sunday's recent revival meetings put more than \$10,000 in the park fund via the little glass boxes on the street cars.

Baltimore today is full of interesting contrasts between the ultra-modern and the city of a century ago. Like lower New York near the Battery, the city of today has grown up where the first settlers laid out their lanes and streets in the days before the revolution. Many of the humming streets turn off at unexpected angles, running suddenly into little parks and squares to start anew in some fresh direction, an agreeable contrast to the monotonous parallelograms which make up newer American

cities, but a source of some confusion to the visitor who is liable to set out for the other side of town only to walk for an hour and find himself back where he started.

Baltimore has grown largely by the intensive process. Instead of straggling over the surrounding landscape, buildings have grown taller and more and more numerous on the original site, until a bird's eye view of the tangled roofs makes the impression that you could not slip in another structure with a shoe horn. The same congestion contributes to an atmosphere of immense bustle and activity. Down town Baltimore is as crowded as down town New York or Chicago.

The monuments of Baltimore make the first feature to catch the eye. Apparently the city is determined that no great deed shall go unremembered. The people have put up monuments to everybody from George Washington down. They built the first of the Washington monuments, and they have been building monuments ever since. The bronze and marble figures crop up in unexpected places, pleasing contrast to utilitarian brick and stone. The city has a plentiful stock of heroes to commemorate. A list of "first things" a yard long have appeared in the Maryland metropolis, from the first telegraph message to the first railroad train. The first umbrella made its debut in Baltimore. It only remains to erect a monument to the man who hoisted it.

County Treasurer W. E. Tussing has receipts and books made out for the payment of taxes. A number of taxpayers, who wish to avoid the rush, have already visited the treasurer's office and settled with the county.

Beginning next month the busy season will come on and it will be first come, first served, with a long waiting line. Treasurer Tussing wishes to request those who wish good service and do not wish to tire themselves, waiting for their receipt, to drop in at once and pay their taxes. All is ready for their coming.

WATCH CHILD'S COUGH
Colds, running of nose, continued irritation of the mucous membrane if neglected may mean Croup later. Don't take the chances—do something for your child: Children will not take every medicine, but they will take Dr. King's New Discovery and without bribing or teasing. It's a sweet pleasant Tar Syrup and so effective. Just laxative enough to eliminate the waste poisons. Almost the first dose helps. Always prepared, no mixing or fussing. Just ask your druggist for Dr. King's New Discovery. It will safeguard your child against serious ailments resulting from colds.

IT'S NEVER TOO LATE!
BELLEFONTAINE, O., May 19.—Mrs. Ellen Brinzer, 70 years old, Logan county infirmary inmate, has the measles. Cyrus Cochran, 87 years old, residing near Bellefontaine, has the whooping cough.

K. C.'S TO INITIATE BIG CLASS TONIGHT

Seven Hundred Knights
Will Attend Rally in
Lima Sunday.

One of the largest classes ever initiated into Lima council, knights of Columbus, will be given the first degree tonight at the hall of the order in the Holland building. The ceremonies will begin at 8 o'clock.

Wapakoneta council will come to this city in large numbers, when that council will exemplify the ritual. The class will include nearly 60, a number of whom practically are from Lima.

The remaining two degrees will be exemplified on Sunday afternoon. About 600 or 700 knights will come at that time for the ceremonies. Dinner will be served at the Elks' Home on Sunday evening, after which toasts will be given.

The Hon. W. A. Geoghegan of Cincinnati, will be the principal speaker on Sunday. His subject will be "American Citizenship." Another speaker of note will be Past State Deputy T. J. Duffy, of Columbus.

John S. O'Connor is grand knight of Lima council, holding the highest office in the gift of the order. The committee in charge is composed of prominent men of the council, of which George F. Barrett is chairman.

Toledo, Ft. Wayne, Dayton and councils of other nearby towns will be largely represented.

RURAL CHRISTIAN SERVICES.
Harrod—Bible school, 9:15. Following, the Men's Brotherhood class will hold a memorial service in behalf of its deceased members. Addresses will be made by William Vorhees, J. A. Grubb and Rev. Lovell D. Hammond. The Brotherhood quartette will furnish music, with the help of the organized choir. The whole church and those interested of the community are invited.

Cherry Grove—Bible school, and service conducted by the pastor, will commence at the regular hour in the afternoon. A live interest is being shown in the services.

Westminster—Bible school, 9:15 a. m., and regular services at 7:30. All are invited to these services and will be most heartily welcomed. L. D. Hammond, pastor.

HARROD B. D. NO. 3
Mr. and Mrs. Parker entertained Sunday in honor of Mr. Parker's birthday, Mr. and Mrs. Verner and two children, Mr. and Mrs. John Verner and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Verner and two children, all of near Wayneville, Mr. and Mrs. Guernsey Crabb and daughters Mary and Helen, of Westminster, Mr. and Mrs. Oak Parker, of Auglaize county, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Underwood and son Ronald, of near West Newton, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Strahm and son Garner and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thompson and children.

Ronald Cook, of Lima, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his grandparents A. A. Porter and wife. J. A. Ingledue and wife were at

Lima Sunday afternoon at the home of their son Jesse.

The infant son of Jesse and Pearl Ingledue was buried Monday afternoon in the Auglaize cemetery.

Madge and Keater Scholfield took supper Tuesday evening with Noah Rambo and wife.

Mrs. Sol Greenwalt and son Paul, of Lima, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister Mrs. C. J. Benson, and family.

Opal Scholfield spent Sunday with Mabel Lowman.

O. M. Clawson and family entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Benson and daughter Beatrice, of Lima, and A. C. Rex and family.

Word has been received here of the serious illness of J. H. Clawson, of Trumbull county. Mr. Clawson spent the winter here with his brother O. M. Clawson.

Mildred Benson spent Sunday with Mildred Leatherman.

Clara Frederick and family moved last week from Harrod to the ten-acre house on the Davis farm.

Pearl Rambo called on Mollie Strahm, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cook, of Westminster, spent Sunday with J. L. Scholfield and family.

Saul Cook and wife and son Darwin, spent Sunday with James Cook.

Pearl Rambo called on Mrs. J. L. Scholfield, Sunday afternoon.

H. A. Cook and family spent Sunday afternoon with George Cook and mother.

Mrs. J. R. Harrod attended the funeral of her aunt in Urbana one day last week.

T. W. Archbold, of Oaslan, Ind., spent a few days last week with Noah Rambo and wife.

Mrs. Mary Rambo, of Alger, is spending a couple weeks at the home of her son, Noah Rambo.

J. H. Benson and family spent Saturday night with C. J. Benson and family.

Melva Cookingham, of Chippewa Lake, Mich., is spending the summer with his uncle, Noah Rambo.

FITZPATRICK FUNERAL.
Catholic Knights of Ohio and many friends attended the funeral services for Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, held this morning at 8:45 o'clock at St. Rose church. Mr. Fitzpatrick was a grocer for many years and had a wide acquaintance. He resided at 601 North West street. The body was laid to rest at Gethsemane.

Chance for American Industry.
As there are at least 2,500,000 Italians resident in the United States, some American manufacturing firms are planning to cater more largely to the household and personal wants of this population. Extensive imports reaching in value many million dollars annually are made for them, most of which might be produced in the United States.

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PILGRIMAGES BEGIN TOMORROW TO THE SHRINE AT CAREY

Lima Faithful Will Visit
Sacred Place on
June 28.

Little Ohio City Will be
Center of Attraction
For a Week.

Once more the afflicted in soul and body are turning toward Carey, Ohio, and the shrine of Our Lady of Consolation. The lame, the halt and the blind will gather there in large numbers beginning Sunday, and they will spend the time in prayer before the miraculous shrine to seek relief from their afflictions.

Some will come from near and some from afar, but all will come with the same hope, that the wonderful shrine may work a miracle in their case, and that they will be made whole.

The city will be crowded with faithful pilgrims and the people of the parish will entertain them. Some will come in bands of 50 or more under the guidance of their pastors, and many will pray aloud as they walk from the railway stations to the church.

The dates of "strangers' day" is changeable in the same degree as Easter, as it comes on the Thursday following the fourth Sunday after Easter. It has been observed here for many years, and thousands of pilgrims have made the journey thither. Each one is requested to register, and since the society was formed in 1878, more than 6,000 have done so, but this does not represent the aggregate number of persons who have come, as many neglect to put their name upon the book.

The figure of Our Lady is an exact reproduction of the one at Luxemburg, and bears about its neck a chain having as a pendant a silver capsule containing a particle of the original statue in the form of a cross. Hence pilgrims to Carey have the consolation of praying not only before a facsimile of the statue, but before a piece of the original miraculous figure.

Several marvelous incidents attended the bringing of the statue to Carey. It was sent from Luxemburg to Berwick, and then carried to that place on April 21, 1875. A procession of eight priests and over 1,000 pilgrims accompanied it. During the journey the skies around became overcast and a severe thunder storm raged, but never once did the sun cease shining on the procession of the faithful, and no rain fell upon them.

Furthermore, a certain Benoit Bilague, with two sons and two daughters, was among the pilgrims. At home on a bed of sickness and pain lay a daughter and sister. As they had left home on their pilgrimage

all hope had seemed vain, but they went and prayed, and upon their return home the danger was passed and the girl recovered.

The cures continue. To those who desire to see is shown a collection of crutches left by cripples who prayed and were cured. With them is a record of cures of every nature.

This is the only church in the United States which bears the name. There are only two others in existence—one at Luxemburg and one at Cavalier. The former structure was small and plain, but the parish property erected a building which corresponds better with the importance of the shrine.

The Rev. Father John Mizer, now pastor of St. John's Catholic church was for 25 years pastor of the Church of Our Lady of Consolation at Carey. The Rev. Father A. Fish is now pastor. Father Mizer will lead several hundred Lima pilgrims who will visit the shrine on Sunday, May 28. It was the Rev. Father Mizer who was instrumental in building the handsome new church which now holds the shrine.

Every year a band of pilgrims make the trip. A special train over the Lake Erie & Western railway, starting at Coldwater and passing through Lima at about 7:30 o'clock, will convey those who wish to go. The return trip will be made in the evening.

Mass will be celebrated for Lima pilgrims on Sunday, May 28, in the church at Carey, at 8:30 o'clock.

The week of prayer at the shrine begins tomorrow and lasts until Sunday, May 28.

Strangers' day will be an important one on Thursday, May 25. The Rt. Rev. Joseph Schrembs, bishop of Toledo diocese, will confirm a class of children at 8 o'clock, and preach the sermon at high mass in the church at 10:30 o'clock.

WILL COMPLETE PLANS FOR MEMORIAL DAY

Committees from the Woman's Relief Corps, Spanish War Veterans and Daughters of Veterans, will meet this evening with the committee from Mart Armstrong post, to put the final touches on the program for Memorial day services. W. D. Hefner is chairman of all the committees. The meeting is called for 7:30 o'clock.

Many Lima men and women have already donated the use of their automobiles to carry the veterans to Woodlawn, Gethsemani and outlying cemeteries on Decoration morning. Others who will do so are asked to notify Calvin Osborne, ex-commander of the post, who is in charge of transportation.

PUTNAM PIONEER DIES.
Michael Kehres, 82 years old, one of the early settlers of Ottoville, Putnam county, died there last night, after a short illness from infirmities of age. He was born in Alsace, Germany, and came to America when 18 years of age. He was the father of Mrs. Carrie O'Brien of Lima.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock in the Immaculate Conception church at Ottoville. Interment will be in the Catholic cemetery there. He was a member of St. Joseph's society, which will attend in a body.

WESTERN RANCH PLAY AT ORPHEUM

Chet Keyes Players Present

"The Girl of Eagle Ranch"

"The Girl of Eagle Ranch" is the offering of the Chet Keyes players at the Orpheum theatre for the last half of the week. The play depicts life on a western ranch and is filled with amusing and exciting incidents.

In the role of Jerry, a colored workman on the ranch, Chet Keyes, furnishes comedy of the wholesome sort. Other characters of the cast are: Bill Brant, V. G. Varney; Mrs. Brant, Mrs. Burton Keyes; Jack Dent, Mr. William K. Hack; Chiquita Brant, Miss Dot Keyes; Kippewa, W. J. Wickoff; Martha Lewis, Miss Helen Keyes; Melville Brant, Frank Bryan, and Elmer Harcourt, Ralph Mensing.

The story of the play surrounds the mystery in regard to the past of Martha Lewis. When she is asked to disclose the truth in regard to her former home, by Bill Brant, members of the latter's family protest and threaten to leave if Brant insists on the disclosure. Many exciting events occur during the following year which finds the family and friends again united under Bill Brant's roof.

TRIAL OF CARTERS POSTPONED AGAIN

The case against Mr. and Mrs. James Carter, charged with disorderly conduct, which was originally set for this afternoon has been postponed until June 6. The later date for the hearing was set at the request of the counsel for the defendants.

Both of the Carters claim that they will fight the case to the limit. Both of the defendants were released on \$25 bond each, and have returned to their home to prevent surveyors running a line through the property they claim.

MASONIC NOTICE

Stated convocation of Lima Chapter, No. 49, R. A. M., Friday evening. Work on Royal Arch degree. Officers and members requested to be present. Visiting companions welcome. E. A. Dean, high priest. Wallace Landis, secretary.

FINDLAY DESERVES IT.

FINDLAY, O., May 19.—For about five minutes yesterday Findlay enjoyed a real snow-storm. Following this it hailed for about the same length of time. In Portage township, it snowed for 15 minutes. No May records in 28 years records a like instance.



G. E. BLUEM
221-223 N. Main

G. E. BLUEM
121-123 W. North



Tomorrow \$22.50 to \$27.50 Suits at \$12.95 The Season's Favored Styles for Women—at Bluem's



A large group of Women's Cloth Suits will be on sale tomorrow at \$12.95 each. The lot includes the most successful selling numbers of the season in the \$22.50, \$25.00 and \$27.50 classes. All high grade Suits bought for regular stock and comprising some exceedingly pretty models. Nearly every suit entirely different from all the others. Box fitting, flare and belted models will be found well represented. Materials include serges, gabardines, wool poplins, black-and-white checks and a few novelties. Very special bargains at this price.

Then there are Cloth Suits for women that were \$27.50, \$32.50, \$35.00 and \$37.50, in very stylish models, all finest materials, linings and finishings, in the season's most exclusive modes, that are going at \$19.75 and \$25.00. Only a few timely remarks to the wise and careful buyer.

Women's Separate Skirts Worth Up to \$12.50, at \$4.95

Tomorrow we offer you choice of 40 Women's Separate Skirts, made up of corduroys, golfines, chud-dah cloth, serges and a few fancy stripes and novelty weaves, in black, navy, brown, rose, blues, grays, etc., all good styles, excellent quality materials, regular \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10.00 and \$12.50 values, nearly all size waist bands, good full skirts, for \$4.95. Any of these Skirts suitable for street wear and with a pretty blouse they will make pretty afternoon costumes. (Ready-to-Wear Floor.)

Women's White Waists 95c Each

Saturday we offer one big lot of Women's White Wash Waists, all new models, many different styles, in voiles, organdies, fancy dimities, etc., many of them very daintily trimmed with lace and organdy collars. All sizes. Very special at 95c each. Many of them equal to waists usually sold as high as \$1.50 to \$2.25. On sale in the center section, Main St. entrance.

Children's Coats, \$5.00 Were \$10.00 to \$13.50

One big lot of Children's fine Summer Coats of wool plaids and checks, corduroys, silk poplins and novelty weaves in plain colors, sizes 8 to 14 yr., regular \$10.00, \$12.50 and \$13.50 values, go tomorrow at \$5.00 each. An opportune time to secure a very stylish and up-to-date coat of fine quality material with very little to pay. These Coats on sale in the Annex, first floor.

Wool Remnants, 89c Lengths Up to 3 1-2 Yds.

You will find some very good bargains in Remnants of Wool Dress Goods, Silk Poplins, and suitings, lengths from 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 yds., accumulations from our Spring's selling, black and colors, at 89c for the piece. Weaves and shades suitable for waists, separate skirts, dresses, children's coats, etc. On sale in the Main store, rear.

Graduation Gift Suggestions in Stamped Goods

Many people prefer to make their gifts as the touch of hand work always adds so much to their value and are so much more appreciated. For graduation gifts we suggest—

Stamped Gowns of crepe and nainsook, 39c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.00.

Fancy Work Aprons of cretonne and lawn, 10c, 35c and 75c.

Corset Covers and Envelope Combinations, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Fudge Aprons, 25c and up.

Stamped Collars, Boudoir Caps, Work Bags, etc., etc. (Art Dep't.—Annex.)

Children's Wash Dresses 3 Lots: 39c, 89c and \$1.98

More of those good bargains in Children's Wash Dresses are here for Saturday, and the picking is as good as the days before because every dress is a bargain. They come made up of fine ginghams, percales, poplins, printed crepes, lawns, silk stripe tissues, etc., all good styles, and all colors. Sizes 4 to 16 yr. These price reductions makes them doubly attractive:

\$2.98 to \$5.00 Dresses, \$1.98
\$1.98 to \$2.25 Dresses, 98c
50c to \$1.25 Dresses, 39c

Summer Fox Furs

Have you seen the pretty Summer Fox Fur Neckpieces we are selling at \$4.95 each? Just the thing for cool days and evenings, besides they give a touch of style to one's costume that is most pleasing. They come in white, taupe and red. The darker ones selling at \$5.50.

Women's Silk Hose 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Women are delighted with the fine quality of our fancy Silk Hose at \$1.00 and \$1.25 the pair. They come in fancy stripes, clocked and drop stitch effects. All colors to match your gowns.

Silk Hose, all silk and silk boot style, extra good values, nearly all shades, at 50c pair.

Princess Slips, Half-price Were \$2.00 to \$5.00

5 dozen Women's Princess Slips that were \$2.00, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00, made of fine nainsook and longcloth, beautifully trimmed with fine lace, embroidery insets and Ami-French embroidery, deep full lace trimmed flounces, slightly soiled from handling, go at half-price. All sizes.

Knit Underwear

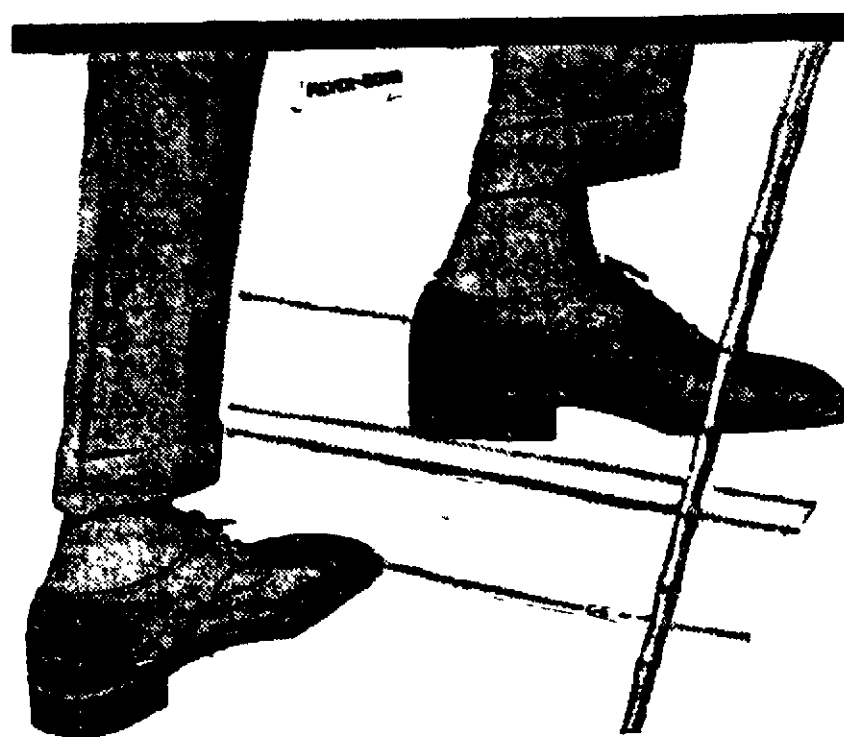
We are showing a fine line of Knit Underwear for men, women and children, in all the very finest grades, and in all styles. Splendidly fitting garments. All sizes.

Silk Knit Underwear for women in white or flesh color, comes in vests, bloomers, combinations and union suits, at very low prices.

Rugs and Curtains

Wonderful values in Rugs and Curtains are being offered these days in our Rug Dep't. All sizes and makes of Rugs of the very finest quality and newest styles at lowest prices.

Curtains and Drapery Materials in any style you may think of, at any price you wish to pay, and all of the Bluem quality.



HOW DO YOU "FOOT UP"

When an auditor "foots up" a ledger he finds an important bit of information.

How do you "foot up?" Your hat, your tie, your shirt may be right, but if your shoes aren't, your total appearance won't "foot up" right.

By his shoes you can tell a man's whole character. Men with neat, trim looking "understandings" are men with a future. Men with run-over shoes are out of the "running."

Style authorities strongly advise you to buy your shoes here, knowing that this store sells the very finest line of shoes in town.

\$3.50 to \$7.00

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WEATHER—Fair and continued cool to night and Saturday.

CONVICTIONS

WE ALL have them, but few of us are true to them. We too often lack the courage to live up to them, and yet we go about every day giving our theory about this subject, or that. We are too free with our own ideas about our ideals in life, and too often we make the mistake of flinging our ideas into any conversation, and more often failing to live up to them, and so gain the unenviable reputation of one who preaches, but does not practice.

Not long ago I heard a woman say she really thought playing cards was not right, not the moral duty of a Christian, and against the teaching of her church. And yet she went to card parties, for she liked society, and society plays cards. She was convinced in her mind that playing cards was wrong, but because she feared the ridicule of her friends, she would not surrender to her convictions. She had made excuses for herself, until she was unable to execute the verdict of her convictions.

There is a great danger with many of us in believing we have convictions when we haven't. And, truly, at their best they are flimsy things. "Some may come and some may go, but some stay on forever," and we really can never determine which are which except the ones that stay, can we? Our minds should always be open to convictions, and it is a mark in your favor if, when things presented to you on a certain subject which give you an insight hitherto unknown to you, and appeal to your logic in a stronger manner, you can renounce your old convictions and accept the new. But real convictions carry truth with them and truth is old and lasting, and no matter what your convictions are, if you yourself believe them, believe in them with all your heart; they are right. Hold your mind open; don't be afraid something will come along and change it. If your convictions are results of real truths, they can't be changed; if they are the wrong results, they will be changed, and all the better for you. But the thing that will make your convictions right is yourself. Yours is the courage to believe and to act.

Betsy Bots of Botkins, says: "There's sum wimin who need t' be encouraged 'bout ev'ry thing they dew, but the wimin that go rite ahead doin' their best, is the ones that git results."

Cheer 'p, DEARS, Bridge parties are more preferable, and decidedly more comfortable.

BED CARRIED ON RUNNING BOARD OF AUTOMOBILE.

A portable bed which can be folded into very compact form and is designed to be carried on the running board of an automobile has been put on the market. The bed is 48 in. wide and of usual length. Its frame is of metal-capped wood and of angle-iron pieces, all of which can be folded together quickly. A heavy khaki fly fastens under the edge of the top and extends downward over the foot of the bed, being supported by a framework fastened to the latter. The head of the bed frame is swiveled to the running board, and the foot supported by braced iron legs. When folded up the bed measures 9 in. wide and 8 in. high.—From the June Popular Mechanics Magazine.

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Our knowledge of the articles in assisting you to select makes shopping a pleasure.

Let the Schneider & Davis high standards of quality appear in all of your gifts.

The boy graduate and girl graduate will appreciate a present from our store. Prices to suit all pocket-books.

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Social Notes

MARIE N. NAGEL

Ability involves responsibility. Power to its last particle is duty.—John Watson.

MISS SELMA WEIXELBAUM of West Spring street, entertained the members of the Girls' Bridge club at her home this afternoon. Three tables were filled for play, after which delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. Among those present were the Misses Helen Wemmer, Esther Wemmer, Francis Wright, Marie Nagel, Grace Spillay, Kathryn Wyre, Mrs. Milton Weixelbaum, Mary Stolzenbach and the hostess.

Mrs. Ricketts of Dayton, and Mrs. P. F. Berry were the guests of the Primrose club which was entertained yesterday afternoon by Mrs. William Clay. After a reading by Mrs. Berry, Mrs. E. A. Daymon and Mrs. Beery won the prizes of a contest. The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Damon, after which the club adjourned to meet again in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Richardson of Oak street.

Because of the illness of so many of the members the meeting of the Homestead Sewing club which was to have been held yesterday has been postponed for two weeks.

In none of the new callings, thrown open to women during the past eighteen months, has their business ability apparently occasioned more surprise, to those who doubted it, than in the matter of banking. An authority on banking recently expressed himself quite vigorously on the question. "If anyone had told us," he said, "twelve months ago, that young women would have distinguished themselves, we should have smiled. We had increasingly that they are businesslike, conscientious, and enthusiastic. I do not think the war has brought a more remarkable development—in fact, it is a miracle—than the revelation of the capacity of women in banking."

In honor of her guest, Miss Gertrude McDonnell of Toledo, Miss Elsie Cover of North Baxter street, entertained yesterday with a luncheon bridge. Six tables were filled for play, the holders of highest scores were Miss McDonnell and Mrs. J. C. Thompson, Jr. Mrs. R. W. Thrift and Mrs. J. F. Cover, mother of the hostess, assisted in the serving of a delicious tea. Guests other than Lima women, were Mrs. George Vail of Cleveland, Mrs. Gus Brown of Wapakoneta, Mrs. George Hauck of Cleveland, and Miss Genevieve Robinson of Wheeling, W. Va.

Mrs. Fred Beam with Mrs. Guy Willower as assistant hostess, entertained the members of the Young Ladies' Aid of the Market Street Presbyterian church yesterday at the home of Mrs. Beam. A parcel post sale and sewing were the diversions of the afternoon. Mrs. Hancock and Mrs. Will Beach were admitted to membership. Mrs. D. C. Dunn will be hostess at her country home, of the next meeting of the Aid. Mrs. Charles Deardourff will be assistant hostess.

The pit oven so often used by the primitive woman was a near approach to the modern fireless cooker, which is considered a remarkable invention. In the crude pit or oven of the early housewife, hot stones were placed to furnish the necessary heat, and these were kept from contact with the air as much as possible by packing earth around them and the food placed next them, during the cooking process. Other methods of cooking, such as boiling, roasting and broiling, were followed along exactly the same lines as ours today, though they were then unrecognized.

Members of the Ircene club were delightfully entertained yesterday by Mrs. R. F. Johns of South Elizabeth street. Spring flowers made the home attractive to the guests who spent the afternoon in sewing. Mrs. Faber, Miss Ethel Montague and Mrs. Charles Montague were the guests of the club. Mrs. Montague also assisted the hostess in serving a delectable lunch. Mrs. Phillip Alberts will be the next hostess to entertain the club, which meets in two weeks.

Mrs. Haled Bailey Driffield of Cleveland, is visiting her mother Mrs. Edward Neuman, of 1000 West Elm street. Mrs. Neuman and Mrs. Driffield have gone to Marshall, Ill., where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bailey. Upon their

First Woman Delegate to Arrive in Chicago.



Mrs. Louise F. Lusk.
 Mrs. Louise F. Lusk, of Missoula, Mont., is the first woman delegate to the national republican convention to arrive in Chicago. She is the wife of a wealthy ranchman of Montana. She is the only woman in the Montana delegation which has been instructed for Senator Cummins, of Iowa. "I am an old-fashioned republican," she said.

return, Mrs. Driffield will spend some time with her mother here, before returning to the Forest City. She will also visit at Ottawa with the family of Judge John P. and Attorney D. M. Bailey and with relatives at Leipzig.

Mrs. Albert Klueber of 443 West Grand avenue, has been entertaining her mother, Mrs. A. J. Doty, of Columbus Grove.

A good example of the quaint and particular humor of Charles Lamb is shown in the following letter, written to his friend, John Bates Diddin:

"September 18, 1827.
 My dear, and now more so, John—
 How that name smacks! What an honest, full, English and yet withal holy and apostolic sound it bears, above the methodical, priggish, bishoppy name of Timothy, under which I had obscured your merits!"

"What I think of the paternal verses, you shall read within, which I assure you is not pen praise, but heart praise. It is the gem of the Diddin Muses.

"I have got all my books into my new house, and their readers in a fortnight will follow, to whose joint converse nobody shall be more welcome than you, and any of yours.
 The house is perfection to our use and comfort.
 Milton is come. I wish Wordsworth were here to meet him. The next importation is of pots and saucepans, window curtains, crockery and such base ware. The pleasure of moving, when Becky moves for you. O the moving Becky!
 I hope you will come and warm the house with the first.
 From my temporary domicile, Enfield.
 "Elia, that 'is to go."

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Taylor are the parents of a baby girl, Jane Francis, born this morning.

Members of the Girls' Bridge club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. George Bayly, of Lakewood avenue.

Mrs. Belle Thomas entertained the members of the E. T. C. club at her home yesterday. Mrs. W. J. Feiser and Mrs. C. V. Stephens were guests at the meeting. Mrs. C. E. Meyers assisted the hostess during the afternoon while hwas spent in much sewing and some social chatter. Mrs. Frank Pockler will entertain the club in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Cunningham are entertaining Mrs. George Hauck, of Cleveland. Mrs. Hauck was formerly Miss Marjorie Hackedorn.

Born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Max Falk, Jr., of 614 South Main street, a girl, Christine Constance.

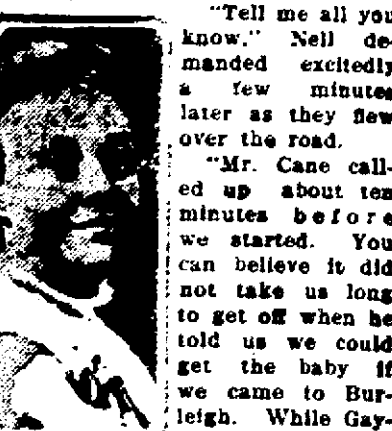
Members of the Rambler club were entertained at their monthly dinner by Mrs. John Kenyon, of West Circular street. The color scheme of red and white was carried out with a big bowl of red carnations and red candles in crystal holders, and dainty crocheted nut baskets which were given as favors. A delicious dinner was served. Guests other than the club members were Mrs. Elmer Roberts and Mrs. Donna Miller, of Kenosha, Wis. The next dinner will be at the home of Mrs. Mabel Stoner.

Ten women were present yesterday at the second women's day of the golf season at Shawnee country club. In the handicaps Mrs. Lufkin rounded the course in boxing, thereby for the second time winning the prize of the match. Later at a business meeting, Mrs. William Van Note announced she would offer a cup for the "Ringer Up" to be awarded at the end of the season to the person holding the lowest score. It was decided to play with Dayton women the first Thursday in June. The date for the second match to be played at Dayton not having been considered yet. Although a match in

Kidnaped by MRS. EVA LEONARD

Olive Tells Nell the Details of the Finding of the Baby.

"NELL!" called Olive over the phone. "We have found the baby! Get your things on. We will drive by in a few minutes on our way to Burleigh."



"Hurrah!" shouted Nell as she hung up the receiver. "Tell me all you know," Nell demanded excitedly. A few minutes later as they flew over the road. "Mr. Cane called up about ten minutes before we started. You can believe it did not take us long to get off when he told us we could get the baby if we came to Burleigh. While Gaylord was getting the machine out I talked to him. Today he followed Anna Ellison when she started across the fields; but she saw him and turned back. He had a clew, however, and followed it up. He found a path in the woods and followed it and came to a house away off from everywhere. He knocked, but could get no response. Convinced that someone lived there and that it might be the hiding place of the baby, he climbed a tree and watched the house. Sure enough after a while he saw a woman come out with a little child. That was enough. He crept through the woods and suddenly appeared before her. He talked with her a few minutes before he sprang the question: 'Where are the clothes the baby came in?' She tried to act surprised, but of course he soon had it out of her. He made her dress the baby in her own clothes. He said they were beautifully laundered—she does washings for people of Burleigh. On the way to Burleigh she told him how she happened to keep the child. You know Anna had a great deal of

liberty as she was so little trouble. She wandered to this house in the woods and struck up a sort of friendship with the woman."

"Probably she had just this thing in mind all the time," interrupted Nell. "Possibly. Who knows? She told the woman that she was perfectly sane. She could appear so, too, you know. She said her husband was tired of her and had her put in the asylum to get rid of her; that he had taken her baby away from her and had married again. Finally she got the woman's sympathy so aroused that she consented to keep the child until such time as Mrs. Ellison's friends would take it and get her out of the asylum so she could have her baby for her own."

"Well, what do you think of that?" exploded Nell. "That woman is equal to anything."

"Yes, indeed! And she gave her diamond engagement ring to pay for caring for the child."

"How could she have kept possession of that at the poor farm?" asked Nell.

"Heavens only knows. If she made up her mind to keep the ring she would find a way to do it. You know that."

"Yes, but she was brought there half conscious," objected Nell. "I mean to ask the superintendent about it," replied Olive.

"Does she know the baby is found?" was Nell's next question.

"Not yet. They went straight to Burleigh, and are waiting for us there."

"We are nearly there. You will soon have your baby in your arms. I am so glad I shall be there to see you." Nell hugged Olive in excess of joy.

(To be continued.)

Talks Daily By Mary Pickford

THE STORY THE OLD ARTIST TOLD

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THREE long flights of rickety, dust-laden steps we climbed until we reached the door where our old friend, the artist lived. There was a palette on the door, splashed with a few dabs of crackling, dried paint, and on the palette was written, "M. Periole, Artist."

We knocked several times before we heard his voice bidding us to enter, and when we did find our way through the dark shadows of a small hall into an ill-lighted room, there was the poor old man coming to meet us, trembling from age and from the lack of proper food.

"Poor Papa Periole," we said to him as we led him to his faded easy chair. "Why haven't you told us you were ill?"

"Little busy people," he replied, "what hours have you for a doddering old man? No, it is no use—time is stealing a march on me and it won't be very long before I can close up this little studio where I have lived all these years and sleep a long, peaceful sleep which will have no cruel awakening."

After we had stored our groceries away and cleaned up his little home, Papa Periole brought out his portfolio of sketches and showed us

many interesting, unframed canvases of the style which had made him a prosperous artist thirty years ago. They belonged to the old detail school of yesterday—these labor-over sketches of men and women of the seventeenth century. With such care was the paint laid on the canvas that one could almost hear the crinkling of the polished satin of Versailles ladies' gowns, smell the perfume of the heavy laden branches in back of them or count the eyelashes of the little children who played in the foreground.

"You can't guess," said Papa Periole, "what I have done for the last six months, I, who have seen my pictures hung in the great Salon."

We shook our heads—we could not guess.

"I have designed labels for tin cans and packages of chewing gum—I have drawn sewing machines until my hands ached from holding the pen—and only yesterday they came to me to tell me I was no longer of use to them, that the lines were getting shaky and young hands must take the work away from me."

Among Papa Periole's sketches there was one which held us for a long, long time. It was the sweet, oval face of a young girl with haunt-

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ing dark eyes and a wistful mouth which drooped at the corners.

"Who is she?" I asked, trying to distract his attention from his unhappy reflections.

"I have never spoken of her these fifty years," and he looked at the little drawing so hungrily he knew that far back in his past he had loved her.

First he told us much of the artist's life in Paris as he had known it, and then he spoke of the girl.

She was an art student, who had saved and denied herself from the time she was a little child in hopes of becoming a great artist after the opportunity of studying abroad.

"We students loved her so," the old man told us, "but we were not blind to the fact that though she worked and studied incessantly, there was no real talent and her drawings were pitifully weak. I had the studio across the hall, and when summer had sped on its way I realized I was in love with her."

"The following winter she had progressed very slowly and one of the artists remarked that Marie was dying of a broken heart. 'What would make you happy?' I asked her, watching her ply her brushes as though she was putting her very soul into them."

"Success," Jacques, a young French engraver, had a brother, a draper, so fat and so sleek looking that we called him the politician. It was he who entered into our scheme that it would be quite fair to pose as an art connoisseur, and taking our months of savings, buy from poor little Marie as many of her canvases as he could.

"You cannot guess how happy was Marie after the connoisseur had come and gone. Her cheeks were flushed with excitement, her eyes danced, and it seemed as if she had really begun to live."

"The draper cared nothing for the sketches he had bought—they were poor little worthless things—but I, out of my tenderness for Marie, hid them in my garret to treasure them."

"One day Marie came when I was away. It was my birthday—she had bought some luxuries and invited all the boys for a feast such as the studio had never before known. But first Marie must clean up my garret until it looked as spick and span as the home of a German hausfrau."

"Of course I need not tell you that the first thing she found was her collection of drawings—she knew that we had deceived her."

"What a gay little party it was—and the happiest of them all was Marie. How could we have guessed the tragedy in her heart? But in the weeks that followed she went into a rapid and heartbreaking decline."

"When the spring came again, Marie was buried in the little old cypress cemetery far out of Paris. 'It is often that way in life when we live a lie for the happiness of others; it is they who must pay when the deception is discovered.'"

Answers to Correspondents

J. H. H.—You should not be unhappy because you are so tall, especially if you stand up straight and are athletic. Even the show girls of today are stately beauties, and I envy you your jet black hair.

W. M.—Perhaps we did know each other as children, for I was born and raised in Toronto, Canada. How proud you must be of your brother, though I can understand your heartbreaking anxiety when you do not hear from the trenches.

H. A. L.—Yes, I am reading "The Fall and Rise of Susan Lennox" and I have found it vastly interesting, not from a sensational viewpoint, but psychologically analyzed.

V. D. C.—Thank you very much for your sample of powder. I tried it and found it very satisfactory. They say cucumber cream is a very good bleach, but as I am seldom in the country long enough to tan, I never tried it. May I ask how your formula is for preparing it?

O. M.—I disagree with you about the using of ice for the complexion, but I am speaking only from my own experience. It seemed to benefit my complexion, and I felt after an ice pack on my face as one would feel walking through the park on a crisp winter day.

H. G.—It looks as if the skirts were going to be very full this summer. Yes, ruffles are very much in style again.

Mary Pickford.

OLIVET CHURCH NOW HAS NEW MINISTER

The Rev. J. Norman King, for the past six years head of the Presbyterian church at Uhrichville, Ohio, was installed as pastor of Olivet church last night. He assumed his duties as pastor the first of May. The installation service was largely attended.

The Rev. J. W. Christy of Van Wert, delivered the sermon. The charge to the pastor was given by the Rev. Mr. Beidelmeyer of Ada, and the charge to the congregation by the Rev. A. M. Hughes of Wapakoneta. Appropriate music by the choir marked the ceremonies.

Dr. A. H. Herr is attending the Ohio State Medical meeting at Cleveland.

Amusements

AT FAUROT TODAY.

"Her Great Price," conceived story is given capital production by Rolfe photoplayers for Metro program. "Clever," is just the word to describe it, with the winsome Mabel Taliaferro as the star. First of all, this is a cleverly constructed story, and after that it is an invigorating romance, admirably produced, clean, entertaining and delightfully acted. For a full reel, suspense is heightened to an unusual degree, sympathy is played upon as the nobly unselfish heroine prepares to pay "her great price," and then after the audience has been fooled into taking her misfortunes in earnest, there comes the happiest of merry endings.

AT THE STAR TODAY.

"Half a Rogue," King Baggot appears in screen adaptation of Harold McGrath's novel by the same name. This five-reel Red Feather production was adapted by Henry Otto, who also directed the picture, from the well known "best seller," by Harold McGrath. It provides an excellent medium for King Baggot, a long time favorite, whose appearance as Richard Warrington is one of the best things he has done in a long while. He is assisted by Clara Beyers as Katherine, Joseph Castellane as John Bennington, Edna Hunter as Patty and Howard Crampton as the judicial boss.

THE STRAND.

At the Strand today will again be shown the famous six-act feature attraction "The Littlest Rebel," which showed to turnaway houses at the Royal last night. So great was the demand for this attraction that arrangements have been made to show it at the Strand both today and tomorrow.

Edward Peple's famous war drama, "The Littlest Rebel," in six acts, with E. K. Lincoln playing the leading part of Captain Carey, in a great Klav and Erlanger production. The story concerns little Virgie Carey, and the rugged heroism, loveliness and irresistible childish beauty of this daughter of the south, makes this a masterpiece of southern life during the war. Lieut. Morrison and his cavalry search the house for the girl's father, then burn down the home. This motherless girl is obliged to live in a hut alone. Virgie's father is hiding in the loft when Col. Morrison arrives and questions the child as to the whereabouts of her parents. The girl adroitly turns them away with her baby talk and adorable courage, but is lured outwitted by the gentlemanly colonel, who discovers the whereabouts of the father. The child's pleadings are such that the Union officer gives them a pass through the federal lines. Later a battle ensues and the life of the federal officer is saved by the rebel scout. This production is wonderfully acted and the work of Mimi Yvonne as the "littlest rebel" is especially worthy.

AT THE ROYAL.

At the Royal today will be shown another Mutual Masterpiece "The Net" with such beautiful women as Marion Swayne, Inda Palmer and Ethel Jewett playing leads opposite Arthur Bauer and Morgan Jones. As picturesque children of the sea, the clever ingenue, Marion Swayne, and the talented leading man, Bert Delaney, appear to splendid advantage in this unusual story of love and tragedy among the

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PEACE AND BIRTHDAYS

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Veterans of the Grand Army and Women of the Relief Corps last night celebrated Peace Day and held their monthly birthday dinner at Memorial hall. A delicious supper was served at 6 o'clock to about 100 veterans and their wives and members of the corps. The birthdays of E. G. Waltz, 76, and Jordan Craig, 73, were celebrated.

The program followed in the post room, up-stairs. Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Conner sang and also favored with instrumental numbers. Miss Helen Conner and her brother Eugene, gave readings Renick Lee also favored with a reading.

Thomas Spencer, old-time fiddler, played the "Arkansas Traveler" and such selections as delighted the veterans. Three south side young women favored with a vocal number. The Rev. Mr. Conner of St. John, father of E. G. Conner, delivered an appropriate speech.

The exercises closed by the whole audience singing, "Home, Sweet Home." Calvin Osborne, former commander of the post, acted as toastmaster.

SWALLOWS POISON.

MARION, O., May 19.—Fred Pfeffer, stone mason, killed himself here by swallowing poison. He had been ill and was despondent.

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WOUNDED PRISONERS EXCHANGED BY THE CZAR AND KAISER

Transfer of the Maimed is Made Through Swedish Territory.

War Captives Tell of Being "All Over Russia"; Many Complain.

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, May 19.—

Clad in great coats of West Point gray, the first of the hopelessly wounded German and Austrian prisoners of war to come out of Russia this year, passed through Sweden a few days ago in exchange for the helpless and hapless Russians who had been sent home from the German hospital camps. The Austrians and Germans were a more cheerful lot than the stolid, silent Russians and seemed to have a more definite idea of their future life.

"It is nothing," said one young Austrian with his right leg gone and two fearful scars on his face; "I am a jeweler by trade and my hands are as good as ever."

The exchange of wounded prisoners undertaken by the Swedish Red Cross is a gigantic affair. Effective May 15 three trains running weekly in each direction from the Finnish frontier to the southern reaches of the Baltic can handle but comparatively few of the men so hopelessly used up that the warring nations are glad to be rid of them. Some statisticians claiming to have knowledge of the situation has declared that with trains running daily all the year round it would take ten years to complete the transport of the human wastrel of war now held in Russia and Germany.

One of the wounded Austrians on the first train coming from Russia was asked how many of his comrades were left in Russia.

"Oh," replied, "there must be a million of them."

This prisoner said he had been "all over Russia" and that few war prisoners, either wounded or whole of skin and limb, were permitted to remain in one camp more than a month or two. He was wounded in August last and said he must have been in every hospital camp from Vladivostok to Petrograd.

There was one young soldier from Prague, Bohemia, who had had a terrible experience. He was in the cavalry and was riding in a charge when a shrapnel shell burst just beneath him. The horse was killed and the rider was wounded twenty-one times. Seven times he was placed on the operating table. He emerged with one leg gone and the other so broken, bent and twisted that it but little resembled human form.

And yet the man had pleaded with the doctors for that remnant of a limb.

"They wanted to cut it off, too, as well as my right hand, but I heard them talking and I said, 'Please, good Mr. Doctor, don't cut off my other leg and my hand!' At last they let me go," he said.

The hand was scarred in many places but seemed otherwise to be perfectly useful. But in time of war amputation is such an effective and expeditious treatment.

Each man of the 217 on board the train from Russia had his own thrilling story to tell. Each one had tasted the utmost of the bitterness of war and some seemed so badly maimed and mangled that even death had refused to accept them.

There was one poor fellow moving about the train with sheep-skin pads on his knees and both feet gone.

"Me no good any more," he stammered in broken English when he learned that the Associated Press correspondent on board the hospital train was an American.

"And boom, boom, boom no good either," he added, mimicking the roar of battle. This man had lain wounded for days with his feet in a half frozen stream. When found he was more dead than alive. Up to the time he lost consciousness he said he must have been lying out of doors for six or seven days. All this time he heard the screech and roar of shells passing above his head and occasionally exploding about him. Anyone of them, he said, would have been a welcome end to his agony. But now he was smiling and cheerful on his way "home." He did not know what he could do when he got there for he had been a horse-shoer by trade and a horse-shoer without feet is not of much account.

Some of the prisoners complained bitterly of their treatment at the hands of the Russians, but the more intelligent of the wounded soldiers declared that while their lots had been hard they realized the Russians had done all they possibly could under the circumstances. There were the days of exposure on the battlefields which could not be helped, the poor field accommodations, for the wounded, who had to be cared for in far greater numbers than anyone had ever anticipated, and the hours of neglect due to the fact that the doctors had more work than they could possibly handle.

One prisoner said he lay on the floor of a house or stable for two days and the only sort thing about him was his own blood. His uniform had been entirely shot away by the explosive which had cost him a leg. Some of the soldiers said they had been robbed by Cossacks as they lay wounded in the field, money and little bits of jewelry being ruthlessly reached from them.

It became a custom, the Austrians said, for the wounded to turn their pockets inside out as they lay upon the frozen ground to show they had nothing and thus escape a bayonet prod.

The Swedish doctors in charge of the hospital trains listen to these stories with indulgent smiles. They say undoubtedly there have been cases of great hardship, but the wounded soldier as a rule is very keen for sympathy and talks accordingly.

There were two pitiful cases of tuberculosis on the train. The sands of life were fast running out of the glass for one of these, but he seemed to grow a bit stronger as the train neared Trilleborg where the prisoners were to be transferred to a German hospital transport.

"It will be so good to get home," he sighed.

"But the poor devil never will get there," said the doctor, for the prisoners coming from Russia are kept outside Hamburg for a month as a rule to guard against the importation of any infectious disease. They are not taken to Berlin, for it is said here the Germans do not wish wounded men on the streets of the capital.

The other prisoner far along in the relentless grip of consumption, had also suffered the loss of a leg. He said he had a wife and three children at home and he did not know how he could ever provide for them.

The invalid transport trains passing through Sweden do not come to Stockholm and the Swedish people as a whole see very little of the wounded men. The nearest approach to Stockholm is Halsberg, where the men detain for dinner. As the first train from Russia came into Halsberg the military attaché of the Austrian legation in Stockholm was at the station. The train platforms were crowded with soldiers on crutches and with arms torn away. It was pitiful to see the poor cripples straighten up and salute with such hands as they had left when they caught sight of the officer in full uniform.

The attaché and representatives of the German legation distributed cigarette, cigars, newspapers and German weeklies to the men on the train.

And to each an envelope was handed with special ceremony.

These envelopes were found to contain picture postcards of Emperor William of Germany, Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, and Field Marshal von Hindenburg.

After dinner there were songs of the Fatherland, sung with lusty German voices. When the singing first began the maimed soldiers came hopping to the song-circle as fast as crutches and heavy canes could help them. They gave cheers for the emperors and stood with heads uncovered as they chorused "The Watch on the Rhine."

The Swedish Red Cross has splendidly organized the arduous work of transporting the prisoners between Russia and Germany and every prisoner who has made the journey across has been warm in his praise of the comforts provided for him.

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Each train is in charge of the surgeon of the Swedish army and there are special nurses and orderlies. Each train is provided with an operating room and whenever a serious operation is deemed necessary the train is stopped while it is performed. The governments of Russia and Germany pay for the expense of the transport of the prisoners, the Red Cross handling all the accounts. The journey is a long one and the work of exchange is expensive. It is not so expensive, however, as continuing to care for the helpless prisoners.

ELIDA

The annual commencement of the E. H. S. will be held this evening at the M. E. church. Rev. D. E. Rossmore preached the baccalaureate sermon last Sunday evening at the M. E. church when the class attended in a body, seats being reserved for them. Members of the class of 1916 are: Misses Corynne Monroe, Karen Gahman, Paula Bowyer, Gertrude Herrick, Virgil Ridenour, Fred Sawmiller, Willard Ehrmann, Thoburn John and Arthur Diller. The alumni banquet will be held next Friday evening, May 26 at the assembly room in the school building.

Dr. Charles Smith and wife and Dr. B. F. Thut are in Cleveland in attendance at the Ohio State Medical conference.

Mrs. Lee Hook (Grace Crites), of Mt. Victory, is here for a short visit with her parents, S. D. Crites and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Brennenman and two children, of Columbus, O., came Wednesday for a week's visit with their relatives.

Mrs. Noah Shoemaker entertained the ladies of her embroidery club on

Wednesday evening at her home. At 8:30 she served a dainty luncheon consisting of cake, ice cream with crushed fruit. Mrs. W. W. Williams was the only guest present. Mrs. E. E. Laidy will entertain the club on the evening of June 7. Several people from here attended the commencement exercises at Gomer on Wednesday evening. Dr. G. L. Brunk and wife will attend the dental meeting and banquet at Lima next Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reichtel and children, of Gomer, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bechtel. Kenneth Kriese is improving from an attack of measles.

Donald and Glenwood, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stemen, have been ill with pneumonia. They are now improving.

F. P. John is suffering with a severe attack of lumbago. Miss Eunice Herrick, who has been very ill from the effects of measles is now improving.

Glenn John, of Davenport, Ia., is spending a few weeks at the home of his parents. C. A. Furry has accepted a position at the Lima Locomotive work. John Leane and wife have purchased the George Forest property and James Stalter and wife purchased the Lease property on East Main street.

Charles Huffer, Jr., has purchased the farm of James Alexander near Allentown.

Mrs. Ernest John, of Lima, was an over-Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Huffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Clapper, of Lima, and Miss Florence Sherrick spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sherrick.

The ladies of the U. B. church held a parcel post sale and ice cream social in the church basement on Thursday evening.

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Pineapples, ea. 10c, 12c, 15c

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MINISTERS ASKED TO PREACH ON PEACE

Several ministers in Lima have been sent letters, asking them to preach on a league to enforce peace on Sunday.

Ex-President William H. Taft, as head of a special committee on church co-operation, has written to 10,000 ministers throughout the country, asking them to embody in

their sermons on May 31, the third Sunday in May, which is a good day for many churches is observed as "Peace Sunday," an explanation of the program of the League to Enforce Peace, which is to hold its first annual assembly on May 26 and 27. Other signatures to the letter are those of L. T. Wilson, Methodist bishop of New York, Shailer Mathews, president of the federal council of the Churches of Christ in America; the Rev. Charles B. MacFarland, the Rev. J. B. Remensnyder, Rev. Arthur J. Brown, Hamilton Holt and Fred B. Smith.

Mr. Taft is president of the league to enforce peace, which was formed at Philadelphia, in Independence hall last June, when a platform was adopted which proposed the establishment of an international court and council of nations, which should pledge its joint economic and military forces to prevent any statutory from beginning hostilities or declaring war, over any question until it had first tried judicial methods.

Daily Thought.

Hope is a pleasant acquaintance but an unsafe friend. He'll do on a pinch for your traveling companion, but he's not the man for your banker.—American Proverb.

Sale of Manufacturers Sample Library Tables Still On



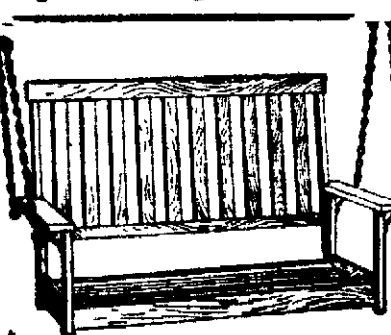
This Solid Oak Library Table, \$11.50

We have sold a great number of these wonderful bargains this week and will continue the sale a few days longer. We will sell you GENUINE SOLID QUARTERED OAK TABLES AT THE PRICE OF IMITATION OAK AND LESS. 30 styles to select from. This is your one opportunity to get a high class LIBRARY TABLE at an extremely low price. One like cut, solid oak, two book shelves at each end, large drawer, a \$22.00 Table, SAMPLE SALE PRICE,

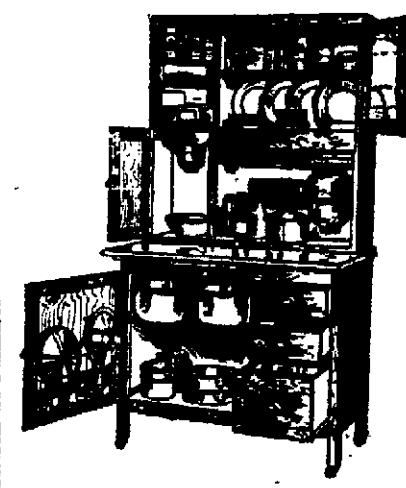
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Sold on easy terms.

Put a DUTCH KITCHENETTE in your Kitchen and your home will be complete. These cabinets are built like fine furniture and finished as good. They embody features entirely new and afford all the conveniences of much higher priced kind at less money. They are made entirely of solid oak, have roll curtain front, tin bread box, sanitary glass spice set and sugar bin. Sliding aluminum top. Exactly like cut \$26.50



Solid Oak PORCH SWING 3 ft. 6 inch size, fumed finish, bolted constructed. Delivered and hung free. Sale price, \$2.45

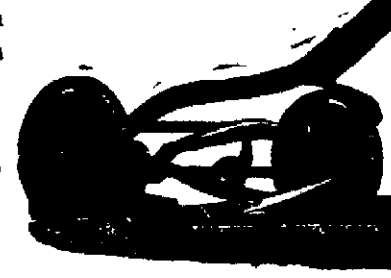


Here it is—just what every home should have just now, this fine quality FLAG. It has fast colors, can be raised and lowered by rope, size 4 by 6 feet, full. It has an eight foot pole or staff, natural finish. It is a sewed flag like the highest priced kind. Note the large size, worth \$2.00. Be sure to get one. Special only

98c Complete

Reduced prices on Guaranteed LAWN MOWERS. All our Mowers have 16 inch blades, brass bearings and eight inch wheels.

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Guaranteed Garden Hose, 10c and 12c per ft. in 25 and 50 ft. lengths. This is five ply hose and guaranteed for the season. 1/2 inch or 3/4 inch sizes complete with ends.

See our immense line of Genuine all REED Baby Carriages. We bought our entire line before the heavy advances and can offer you high grade dependable makes at last season's prices. 50 styles to select from

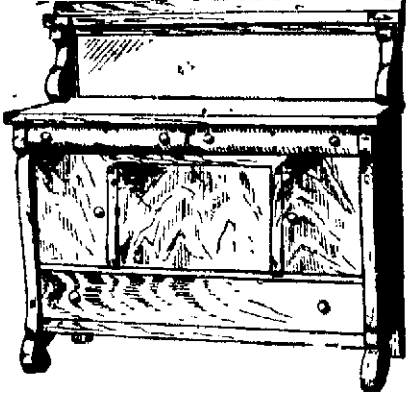
Prices \$18.50 up Easy terms of payment.



Pretty pieces for the DINING ROOM. The Dining Room is one of the most important rooms in the home. It should be made to look as attractive as the living room. We are offering specials on fine BUFFETS this week. See our solid oak Buffets inside and out, all polished, worth \$40.00, for only \$26.75. A 54-inch solid Quartered Oak, golden finished Buffet, like cut, the finest cabinet work, equal to any on the market for \$50.00, special

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Other big values at \$22.50, \$28.00 and \$32.00. Beautiful Colonial and straight line Buffets in the popular fumed and golden oak finish, priced way below regular.



Sunray Stove Co.'s STAR GAS HEATER, like cut, four cast iron star burners, pieced top, galvanized drip pan, large square oven, porcelain levers, adjustable mixers, and shelves, a high grade guaranteed Gas Range at a low price. To sell a quantity we offer them this week at \$12.85

Extra special in FOLDING SULKY. This is a comfortable easy riding sulky, folds flat for carrying, spring seat. Regular \$5.00 value, special only \$3.45

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CITY ENGINEER GETS BLUE PRINTER

Will do Its Work When Sun Is Not Shining Upon Machine.

No longer will members of the staff of the city engineer be forced to wait a clear, sunny day to make a blue print for a set of specifications. Engineer Carl Bryson has installed a machine known as a Wagoner electric blue printer, which makes prints of all sizes up to 42x60 inches, and it is located in the room used by his staff before the erection of the Leader store annex shut out the light.

The contrivance consists of a glass semi-cylinder with a canvas roller to hold the negatives and prints tightly against the outside surface of the glass. A strong arc light drops slowly down inside the cylinder along the imaginary axis, printing the drawings in a few minutes. It is automatic and needs no attention, thereby saving an appreciable amount of time for the engineer and his assistants. The cost was \$165.

PEGGY VISITS

By LOUISE OLIVER.

Dear Friscilla: This place is immense. I'm so glad they named me after Aunt Margaret. But never mind, when she dies and leaves me all her money and this beautiful house I'll divide, honest—cross my heart I will! I and my little trunk arrived safely yesterday. This morning, after breakfast, I was wandering over the house, when I came upon a sort of office which opened out of the conservatory. I went in. And there I saw the grandest looking man you ever gazed upon. When I saw the man I started to retreat, but he didn't give me time. He was beside me in an instant, holding out his hand and saying, "You are Miss Holdship, aren't you?" So I gave him my hand and while he shook it I said: "Yes, I'm Peggy Holdship. Who are you?" "I'm the private secretary," he explained, "and Mrs. Harworth asked me to show you round."

I started to talk about Miggis, the pup, and soon we were gossiping as though we had known each other a thousand years. He showed me all over the house and grounds and really, Silly, I'm going to see that you get to come next time. It's all so grand. I must stop now and dress for dinner. Lovingly,

PEGGY.

Friday, November 4.
Dear Silly: It was a man, and who do you suppose it was? You'll never guess. Bernard Portman! I knew him the instant I saw him. He looks just like the magazine pictures. And so rich, Aunt Margaret says, he could almost buy out Rockefeller. His wife died last year, you remember. Well, he's looking for another, I hear. Do you know, Silly, I'm beginning to feel queer. The way Aunt Margaret talks and so on makes me suspicious about her intentions. And she's ordering me more clothes, and today we're going shopping to a jeweler's. I saw Adonis—I mean Jack Roland—for ten minutes this morning. We were talking in the hall when auntie came along. In plain English, she was mad and sent him away on some errand. He is grand, Silly. I wish I could see more of him. He has lunch with us, but that's all, and from what I gather, with all the festivities

being planned about, he will be home no sooner than there will be no chance of seeing him over then. He is surely smart, too; seems to know everything and says he prepared for law. He's certainly hiding his light under a bushel here. I don't take as much interest in all the excitement as I did at first. If auntie only didn't fuss so, I'd much prefer to improve my time by talking to the secretary. He knows so many people everywhere, the best people, too. If you please, I must stop. Honestly,

PEGGY.

Sunday, November 12.
Dear Silly: Such a whirl as it has been since I wrote last. From 12 m. until 3 and 4 a. m. we hardly stop. I don't know how Aunt Margaret can stand it, but she is a perfect Spartan and determined to see me well equipped. One thing is clear, however, she leaves me alone with E. F. every chance she gets. In fact, all mammae do. It's as plain as the nose on your face that he is the catch of the season. But I feel like calling him papa, and if he and auntie have fixed up anything between them they can get over it. After ten I'm going to tell you something about Jack.

After Tea—Here it is. Yesterday I was up at eight, and after breakfast I went to see how some of the new Japanese sunfish in the fountain were doing. Quite by accident I saw Jack. And, Silly, dear, before I knew what he was saying, he told me he loved me, and before I knew what I was saying, I told him I loved him, too. And he kissed me, and I ran away, and I haven't seen him since. If Aunt Margaret finds it out she'll send me home and cut me off with a shilling, but I shouldn't care, if I thought you'd get it all instead of me. Oh, what shall I do? I love Jack and I can't bear old Portman. I just hate being thrown at any one's head! I've about made up my mind to tell Aunt Margaret the truth in the morning, give her back the pearl necklace and the bracelet and bandana and the furs and everything, and then pack my trunk for home. But then there's Jack! He'll lose his position if I tell. Oh, I don't know what to do.

PEGGY.

Tuesday, November 15.
Dear Silly: Just a note. I'll write details tomorrow. I'm the happiest creature alive, for the most amazing things have happened. Aunt Margaret planned it all. She has known Jack for years and wanted me to fall in love with him. She said if I had known about it I'd have been contrary and fallen in love with some one else! Girls always do. So she persuaded Jack to be her secretary and asked me here on purpose. She said her little opposition just helped it along, and I guess it did. But you'll never believe me when I tell you the rest. Bernard Portman is Jack's uncle and he knew all about it, too, and

SHELL EYEGLASSES

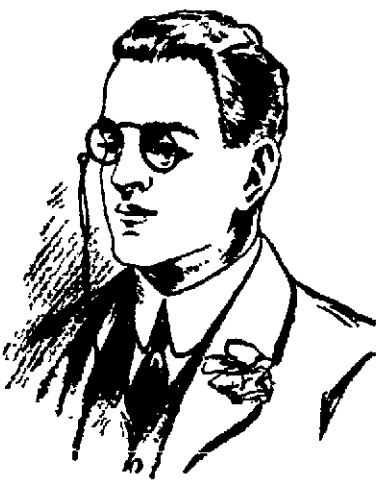
lend just the air of distinction that's suited to the man or woman who dresses just a little differently. The heavy shell rims, large round lenses, gold spring and heavy black silk ribbon or cord make a very pleasing combination.

The only way to decide whether you would like this style of eyeglass is to try on a pair or two. We'll be glad to have you stop in here and see the various styles, without obligation to purchase. The price is moderate.

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Optometrist.

47 Public Square.



that is his last. Everybody is so happy! And I want of all.

Lovingly,

PEGGY.

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Forests Left in America.

Before the coming of the white man the forests of the United States covered an area of 500,000,000 acres, and contained about 3,000,000,000,000 board feet of lumber, according to Leonard Lundgren, writing in the Engineering Magazine. The forests today cover 550,000,000 acres and contain about 2,000,000,000,000 board feet of lumber. The annual cut is about 43,000,000,000 board feet. Seventy-six per cent of the forest land is privately owned, 21 per cent is held by the United States in the national forests and 3 per cent is on other public land.

Ahead of His Record.

Billy was learning to tell time. He watched the clock and knew just about the time of day certain things happened. One was the postman's arrival, usually at quarter of eleven. One day he came earlier, at a quarter of ten. Billy ran to the clock and after looking carefully said, "Why, look, ma, the postman's a whole hour ahead of himself!"

Try the Times-Democrat want column.

MORE DESTRUCTIVE THAN ANY WAR

Preventable Disease Kills Tens of Thousands Where War Kills One.

At a recent meeting of a mothers' club the head of the health committee made some startling statements in comparing the death rate from causes due to preventable disease to the mortality in the great European war.

She showed that the great majority of human ailments are due either to unwise eating or to incomplete elimination of wastes, and urged that mothers should watch their children and see to it that they did not violate the laws of health.

She called special attention to the value of castor oil as nature's remedy for constipation. The healing properties of castor oil are universally recognized and it doesn't form a habit.

The distasteful features of castor oil have all been eliminated from CASTOR OIL, which is 94 per cent castor oil with a delicious orange flavor added, and there is no trouble in getting either children or adults to take it. On sale at all druggists. Castor Products Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

WICKISER FUNERAL TO BE HELD AT FOREST

The body of Mrs. Ella Wickiser, who died yesterday at the city hospital, will be held at the Forest funeral home, where for the past ten weeks she had been for treatment, was accompanied last night to Forest, Ohio, her former home. Funeral of Lafayette, and the Misses Bernice services will be held and interment and Hester Wickiser, who live at Wapakoneta.

some months the family has resided in Belle Center. The husband, James Wickiser, four sons and four daughters are left. They are Merle, Wickiser of McComb, O.; Beryl Wickiser, who for the past ten weeks she had been for treatment, was accompanied last night to Forest, Ohio, her former home. Funeral of Lafayette, and the Misses Bernice services will be held and interment and Hester Wickiser, who live at Wapakoneta.

WARNING TO TRIFLERS.

MT. VERNON, O., May 19.—Ida Shumaker, 37, of Rushville, Fairfield county, got a verdict today for \$2,750 against Raymond Brown, of Centerburg, as damages in a breach of promise suit. Miss Shumaker claimed Brown courted her three years, promised to marry her last October and then wed another girl. Brown did not contest the case.

WOUNDS PROVE FATAL.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 19.—Charles Sweeney, 50 years old, formerly a newspaper man of York, Pa., succumbed at the City hospital to bullet wounds he received early Sunday morning when he was shot by Clinton Brown, a negro. Sweeney was managing editor of the Gettysburg Times, Gettysburg, Pa. Read Times-Democrat want ads.

Stirring Price Reductions

Suits of the better kind at sharply reduced prices



For Saturday we have regrouped some 150 New Suits—many after Easter arrivals—for final clearance. During this final sale suits will not be sent on approval—however a small deposit will hold any suit until ready.

A Real Bargain

Some thirty nobby well tailored Suits in checks, tan navy and Copen. All from our own regular stock and formerly priced at \$15, \$17.95 and \$22.50; sizes 16 to 40.

50 Very Good Suits

Fashionably tailored suits in poplins, serges, gabardines and checks. Formerly priced at \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50. An exceptional opportunity to select a good suit at a saving.

Including Taffeta and stout suits. Over 75 smart new suits of poplins, serges, gabardines and checks; many odd sized suits including sizes from 42 to 50 are included in this lot. Formerly priced from \$27.50 to \$37.50.

Children's Coats About Half

Just 75 Coats for children, (ages 2 to 14 yrs.) in all wool serge, checks, corduroy and poplins; all fully lined and trimmed with contrasting collar of silk or lace. For Saturday, your choice at \$2.95 and \$3.95.

Values \$5 to \$7.50

SATURDAY ONLY

75c Petticoats 39c

Highly mercerized fast black rayon Petticoats with elastic fitted top and double flounce. A wonderful bargain and on sale Saturday only.

75c Waists 49c

25 dozen fine lawn, voiles and tub striped waists, neatly trimmed with collar and buttons; also 10 dozen girls' middie; sizes 8 to 20, trimmed with striped collar and cuffs.

NEW LINENS

For Skirts

Suits, Dresses

You will do well to choose your dress linens while the assortment is complete for we will not be able to replace linens at our present prices. Fast colored linens, 27, 36 and 40 inch widths in light blue, copen, dark copen, rlie, pink, rose, leather, tan, bisque, natural, lavender, ivory, cream and white, priced now at 20c, 30c, 35c, 50c, 75c, 80c, \$1 the yard. With a wonderfully complete assortment of shades and widths.

A Clear Away of SILK DRESSES

Saturday we place on sale 100 new Silk Dresses at about half price. Newest models of taffeta, crepe de chine and georgette crepe, in navy, black, bisque, copen, green, rose, etc. A special purchase makes the following prices possible.

\$12.50 to \$15 Values

\$20.00 to \$25.00 Values

\$9.98

\$16.95

Beautiful new wash Frocks

White Net Dresses in a most beautiful assortment of styles, beautifully trimmed in fine laces, taffeta bands, etc. Priced at \$8.95 to \$35.

New Colored Wash Frocks, many new models for sport and dress wear, voiles, linens, marquisette, etc., in a wide range of patterns. Priced all the way from \$5 to \$35.

Skirts

SPORT, DRESS, STREET.

A wonderful assortment of new Skirt Models have arrived this week. Among other models we call your attention to three new styles in a beautiful quality of silk poplin in black and navy. A regular \$7.50 skirt, especially priced at \$5.00. Other models in taffetas for sport and dress, wool poplins, serge and gabardines, white skirts and sport skirts in bright new stripes and plaids. Our prices as follows:

Taffeta Skirts \$5.90 to \$20
Wool Checks, \$2.50 to \$12.
Wool Poplins, \$5 to \$15.
Wool Sport Skirts \$6 to \$10.

White Wash Skirts in pique, Beach Cloth, Gabardine, etc., \$1, \$1.38, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.95 and \$5.

ANOTHER GREAT SILK SALE FOR SATURDAY

1000 Yards of Yarn dyed Black Chiffon Taffeta

Don't pass this up. The most desirable fabric of the season—heavy Chiffon Taffeta, full 36 in. wide and an excellent weight for summer dresses, skirts, suits and coats. Yarn dyed and fast black. On sale for Saturday only. The regular price is \$1.50 the yd.

Over 30 Pieces of heavy Chiffon Taffeta

These Taffetas have been selling at \$1.75, only a few at \$1.50. Saturday we place the entire lot on sale at \$1.39. The colors are: Navy, in three shades, Copen, Grey in three shades, Pink, Nile, Rose, Maize, Reseda, Russian Green and Cardinal. Full yard wide.

\$1.25 Heavy Striped Tub Silks Special

We have received another shipment of those very desirable heavy tub silks, so much used just now for blouses and men's shirts. A beautiful display of different colored stripes are now on display at our silk section. Priced for Saturday at your choice, \$1 the yd.

House Cleaning Necessities In Our Basement

Only this one word about advancing prices. Our stocks of Carpets, Furniture, Curtains, Rugs, Window Shades, Curtain Fixtures, etc., were never so complete as they are at present, but the great demand will soon be plete our stocks so that it will be necessary for us to buy more merchandise at the present market price which is in many cases one-third to one-half more than the old price. This means you can save 30 to 50% by anticipating your household wants now—for we have these goods at the low price.

12x12 Wilton Rugs, all prices.
12x12 Axminster Rugs \$10.50 to \$30
12x12 Velvet Rugs \$10.50 to \$30
12x12 Brussels Rugs \$15 to \$18
Grass Fibre Rugs, in all sizes, suitable for porches, dining rooms and bed rooms, 65c to \$0.50.
Brass Beds \$8.95 to \$42.50
Chiffoniers \$10.90 to \$22.75
Dressing Tables \$12.95 to \$20.50
Dressers \$15 to \$25
Dining Tables \$25.00 to \$50
Dining Chairs \$6 to \$25 set
Library Tables \$25.00 to \$35.00
Daybeds \$20 to \$45
Oak Rockers \$4.75 to \$20.50
Leather Rockers \$19.75 to \$30
Linoleums, at all prices
Curtains, 50c pr. to \$15 pr.
Spring and Mattresses, at all prices

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SPECIALS ALL DAY SATURDAY

SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR SUNDAY DINNER

Beef Roasts, your choice of fancy chuck roasts, lb. 15c
Standing Rib Roasts, of heavy steers, lb. 18c
Native Veal Roasts, lb. 17c
Pork Roasts, fresh lean roasting pork, lb. 16c
Strictly fresh Meaty Spare Ribs, lb. 8c
Porter House Steak, tender luscious porter house, lb. 25c
Sirloin or Round Steak, cut from native steers, lb. 20c
Fresh Home Killed Veal Chops, lb. 19c
Pork Chops, fresh lean loin chops, lb. 20c
Beef Boll, meaty rib boll, lb. 12c
Fresh Ground Hamburger, lb. 14c
Fresh Sausage, lb. 12c

Fresh Brains, lb. 12c
Beef Hearts, lb. 10c
Fresh Pork Hearts, lb. 10c
Fresh Sliced Liver, lb. 5c
Pickled Pork for beans, only, lb. 12c
Pickled Pig Feet, lb. 8c
Sugar Cured Hickory Smoked Calf Hams, lb. 15c
Fancy Smoked Hams, whole or half, lb. 21c
Fancy Breakfast Bacon, by the side, lb. 21c
5 lb. Cane Sugar, with order of 35c or more 39c
Highest grade of White Oats, lb. 18c
Soup Beans, lb. 8c

Lima Beans, lb. 8c
P-G Soap, bar 4c
Fancy Rich Ripe Strawberries, box 8c
Fresh Tender Lettuce, only, lb. 12c
1 lb. box Cod Fish 12c
Good Coffee, lb. 15c
1-2 lb. Good Tea 15c
3-5c cans Milk 12c
3-5c sacks Salt 10c
10c can Corn 8c
Salt Herring, lb. 8c
15c package Snow Boy Washing Powder for 11c

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POLLY'S COLONIAL TEA

By IZOLA FORRESTER.

Eusebia had lived in the little gambrel-roof house at the foot of the hill ever since she was born, for forty-eight years.

Gabriel always stopped when he drove by on the way to town to call out a cheery salute to the face at the sitting-room window. He had gone to school to Miss Gibbons, and really had an affection for the odd little old maid.

"You know, Gabe," she would say, with a certain tilt of her head, "I am the last of the Gibbonses."

Gabriel remembered the plaintive note of loneliness the day he carried the load of hard wood over to the schoolhouse. The teacher stepped out to show him where she wanted it put, and she asked him if he knew a nice, pleasant place to board. She was living down near the station, and didn't like it.

Gabriel told her he'd speak to Miss Gibbons. She couldn't have been a day over eighteen, with big brown eyes and wavy brown hair and the deepest dimples.

"She don't seem to have much stability," said Miss Gibbons gently, after she had boarded Polly a week. "She just seems to brighten up the whole place. I'm even thinking some of having a little party for her Washington's birthday. I'll set out all my colonial things, ask each one who comes to bring along something they've got tucked away, too. You can come, can't you, Gabe?"

Gabe was sure he could. In fact, he'd make a point of it. But when he paid his usual call Sunday, Polly seemed out of humor.

"Oh, it isn't anything, Gabe," she said shortly. "It's just everything all at once. I think I'll give up the school and go back home. I heard Mrs. Driggins say Friday they would ask for my resignation if I didn't."

"First, they say the supervisor drives over and stays too long in my district. Well, he does, too. He's an old goose. Then they say I waved my hand to the mail carrier." She smiled deliciously.

The twilight had fallen. Miss Gibbons was busy getting tea out in the kitchen, and Gabe some way managed to unburden his mind to a large extent in those few minutes. But the next day, even Eusebia seemed something wrong in the atmosphere at her Washington tea.

All about the parlor and sitting room were Eusebia's colonial treasures, her moss-rose tea set and the silver glass teapot. There were the Capitol steps silk quilt made by Great-grand-aunt Lucinda Allen, and the old flintlock musket that had gone through the Pequot Indian wars, with a Revolutionary powder horn next to it, and a homespun woolen blanket that old Capt. Ethan Gibbons had wrapped around his weary limbs at Valley Forge. These were all slender silver cups the great general himself was said to have drunk from and the very split bottom chair he had sat in the night of his sojourn at the Gibbons home.

Polly had draped an old worn flag over the picture of Washington behind the tea table where Eusebia sat, flushed and happy, and the rooms really looked festive. But there was something wrong. Polly knelt in prayer, when Mrs. Deacon Ricketts gave her a hand that was like a dead fender. Then, when she passed the several of the ladies said very primly, "Much obliged, Miss Hall, I'm sure."

"Expect to go home before Easter, to you, Miss Hall?" inquired old Miss Chatterton, who was deaf as a post. The question seemed to reverberate through the low-ceiled rooms, and Polly was pink to her ear tips. But Eusebia heard it and answered for her placidly.

"Well, can't at all likely. We'll need her here to sing in church, and it would hardly pay to go way up to Vermont and back again."

Mrs. Ricketts coughed slightly, stirred her tea and fired the next shot.

"The deacon was saying there was some talk on the school board of getting a man teacher to look after those big boys. I should think they'd be a real burden to you, Miss Hall."

"I like them," said Polly earnestly. "They all help me with the smaller ones, and are good as can be."

"I don't believe that supervisor will get elected this year again," spoke up Miss Chatterton, with startling clearness, and there came a dead silence. It really was the psychological moment in Eusebia's tea. Even the famous mistress of the first administration herself would have needed all her tact and diplomacy in handling the issue of the moment. Polly flashed an imploring glance at her, and Eusebia poured another cup of tea with steady fingers.

"Do try another one, Miss Ricketts," she said. "It'll quiet your nerves. Well, I don't wonder they talk of removing him. Silly old thing, gallivanting around 'stead of attending to his duties. Polly, isn't that Gabe at the door?"

Polly stepped out into the front hall, and Eusebia smiled contentedly at her company and sprang her final shot of victory.

"You know they're engaged to be married as soon as the school term ends. I'm real thankful, too. Gabe's got a treasure."

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Only Crusty Bachelor's Opinion. "There is not going to be any more marrying in Indiana," said old Judge Daniels, a crusty old bachelor. "How is that?" asked his nephew, who has just got married. "See the legislature has passed a law forbidding weak-minded persons to marry, and they are the only ones who ever think of doing such a thing."—Exchange.

Want ads in The Times-Democrat always bring quick answers.

WILSON APPEALS FOR DOOMED IRISHMAN

NEW YORK, May 19.—The fate of Jeremiah C. Lynch, an American citizen who was to have been shot at daybreak in Dublin, is believed to be screened by strict censorship.

No word regarding the man, who had been convicted of complicity in the Irish rebellion, had come over the cables up to 9 o'clock this morning. President Wilson made an eleventh hour plea for a stay of execution just before midnight last night in Washington. Owing to the difference in time, Lynch was to have faced the firing squad about three hours after President Wilson had directed that a cable be sent to London asking that the execution be deferred until the American government could make an investigation into the case.

It was not known here whether President Wilson's plea reached the English authorities in time to save Lynch from being executed.

Told the Truth.

A country gentleman in Ireland, having a small sporting estate to sell, advertised it, and soon afterward a gentleman called to see him about it. "Well, sir," said he, "I have been over that estate you advertised, and find it all right except that fine trout stream you mentioned."

"It runs through the wood in the lower part of the meadow," said the land owner. "What! That little brook? Why, it doesn't hold much more than a spoonful. I am sure if you were to empty a pail of water into it, it would overflow. You don't call that a fine stream, do you?"

"Faith," said the owner, blandly, "if it were much finer you couldn't see it at all!"

Public Expenditure in Boston.

You get a sense everywhere in Boston that they spend money upon public enterprises like statehouses, opera houses, art museums and so forth because there is a need to have such things and the money can be found, not because the money is there and there is need to find some way to spend it.—The latter being a much more characteristic American frame of mind. Reason rather than emotion guides New England expenditure, and the result is a cool and restrained distinction which the wanton cities of the South and West never quite attain.—Harrison Rhodes, in Harper's Magazine.

CHINESE GEN. ASSASSINATED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., May 19.—General Chen Chi-Nel, a high official of the Chinese revolutionaries, was assassinated here last night.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED

Doctors Now Use Laxative Water Instead of Drugs.

Instead of loading their systems up with drugs that irritate and give only temporary relief, doctors are sending their patients to the springs to let water clean the poison from their systems, get rid of constipation, restore their digestion and put their livers to work again.

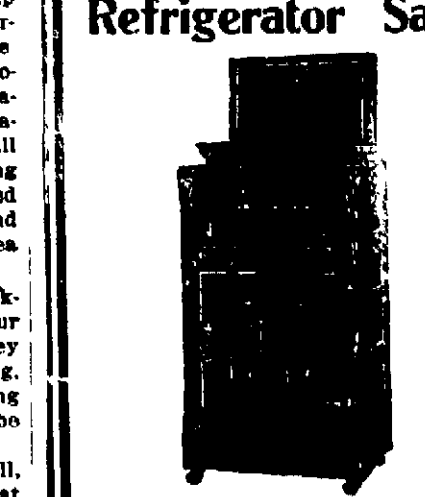
If you wake up feeling tired, nervous and headache, with eyes that are dull and a little yellow, a taste in your mouth that makes even the thought of food repulsive, your system should be cleaned at once with a little Tollo Water from Dawson Springs, Kentucky.

Get a bottle from your drugist and pour a tumbler about one-third full of Tollo Water and fill with plain water—hot, if convenient—and drink it before breakfast.

In a little while it will flush the stomach and entire intestinal canal of their accumulated waste and you will feel good for the rest of the day.

Of course one glass of water is not enough to remove the poison that has been absorbed by the blood, but you should continue to drink it each morning for several days. Then your complexion will clear up and your natural, healthy color will return, your tongue will lose its furry coat and you will be clean and fresh inside.

Refrigerator Sale



A little wonder this refrigerator, holds 50 lbs. of ice, and is lined with galvanized iron, worth \$10.75, special at \$6.95

Alarm Clocks, 69c Reg. value \$1.00

Scial of the Chinese revolutionary party, was assassinated by three alleged Yuan 'Shi Kai supporters in Shanghai last night, according to the Chinese Republic Association stated today. Two of the assassins were caught.

Americans Good Match Users.

"Every man, woman and child in this country uses an average of ten matches each day," remarked J. A. Hunter of New York, representative of a large match company, at the Raleigh, says the Washington Post. "It is estimated that the match manufacturers of the United States turn out every day more than 1,700,000,000 matches. Of this output 1,000,000,000 are consumed in this country. Our people have come to be very extravagant in the use of matches. A decade ago a pipe smoker might keep his smoke going by light of the kitchen fire and a paper lighter; today he wouldn't think of it. The greater use of cigarettes also has increased the consumption of matches, as have gas and gasoline stoves, which are continually turned on and relighted. There has been an increased manufacture of patent lighters and a new style of gas stove with patent lighter attached, and these have helped to cut the sales of matches, but only to a small extent."

That Explains It.

"What," we asked the captain of finance, "is the secret of your success?" "Unremitting industry and strict attention to business," he replied. "But," we objected, "it is a well-known fact that you never reach your office before eleven o'clock and that you quit at two and spend the rest of the day playing golf?" "Quite true," said the magnate, "but that is neither here nor there. The secret of my success, as I was about to say when you interrupted me, is unremitting industry and strict attention to business on the part of my employees."

For best results advertise you wants in Times-Democrat.

WOMEN SHOULD GET THIS HABIT AS WELL AS MEN

Don't Eat Bile of Breakfast Until You Drink Glass of Hot Water.

Happy, bright, alert—vigorous and vivacious—a good clear skin, a natural, rosy complexion and freedom from illness are assured only by clean, healthy blood. If only every woman and likewise every man could realize the wonders of the morning inside bath, what a gratifying change would take place.

Instead of the thousands of sickly, anemic-looking men, women and girls with pasty or muddy complexions, instead of the multitudes of "nervous wrecks," "rundowns," "brain fags" and pessimists we should see a virile, optimistic throng of rosy-cheeked people everywhere. An inside bath is had by drinking, each morning before breakfast, a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver, kidneys and ten yards of bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour fermentations and poisons, thus cleansing, sweetening and freshening the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach.

Those subject to sick headache, biliousness, nasty breath, rheumatism, colds, and particularly those who have a pallid, sallow complexion and who are constipated very often, are urged to obtain a quarter pound of limestone phosphate at the drug store which will cost but a trifle but is sufficient to demonstrate the quick and remarkable change in both health and appearance awaiting those who practice internal sanitation. We must remember that inside cleanliness is more important than outside beauty, because the skin does not absorb impurities to contaminate the blood while the pores in the thirty feet of bowels do.

DISTRICT TELEPHONE MEETING IS HELD

George H. Methuen, of Lima, was re-elected president of the seventh district of the Ohio Independent Telephone association, at the meeting held here yesterday. G. W. Vernon of Findlay, is secretary of the district. Luncheon was served at noon at the Elks' home, where the meeting was held, both forenoon and afternoon.

Men interested in the telephone business from Auglaize, Putnam, Hancock, Hardin, Mercer, Paulding, Van Wert and Wyandot counties attended. Frank L. Beam of Mt. Vernon, president; G. K. Johnston of Columbus, general manager; D. J. Cable of Lima, member of the executive committee and board of directors, were among the state officials present. The party looked over the local plant here. About 75 visitors attended.

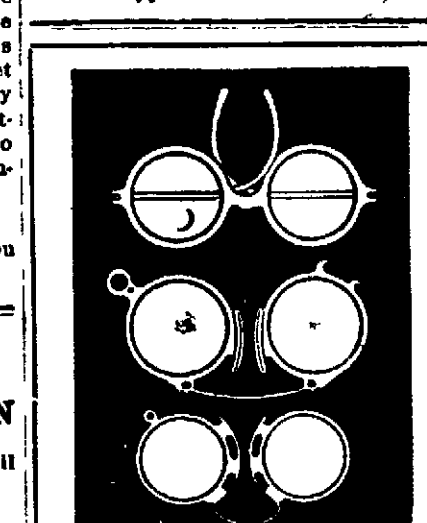
WESTMINSTER

Mrs. Dalton Jacobs and baby will be home from Lima hospital this week.

Mrs. Minnie Smith, of Harrod, called on her sister, Mrs. W. H. Tabler, last Friday.

Mrs. Mary Rambo, of Alger, visited her sister, Mrs. A. E. Boyd, on Saturday until Wednesday.

R. F. Hultbarger and wife were Lima shoppers last Saturday.



Particular People

who wish something distinctive in Glasses or Spectacles, are ordering the "VARSITY" with frames made of genuine or imitation Tortoise Shell.

We heartily recommend them.

BASINGER'S Optical Dept.

C. V. STEPHENS, in charge. 145 N. Main St. Lima, Ohio.

BICYCLES--

The best made in the universe.

Easy Terms---Low Prices

All guaranteed. Call and see them.

Gladwell-Crossley Motor Co.

207 S. Main St.

OUR SPECIAL MAY SALE

SATURDAY'S SPECIAL

Ladder Special

69c

A 5 ft. Ladder Well Braced worth \$1.75

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A House-hold Convenience on Sale Saturday

Made of good, strong straight grained material.

We Will Hang It Free!

A swing, made of straight grained hardwood, fumed oak finish, very comfortable, worth \$3.50, special \$2.48

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W. H. Tabler worked on the telephone route for several days last week.

Frank Yeazell and wife called on Miss Anna Ashling last Sunday evening.

Isaac Beckom has teams busily engaged plowing for his spring crops. He will plant more than 200 acres of a summer crop and is hustling some this cool weather.

Some of our merchants are paying 22 cents for eggs and 25 cents for butter, and \$1.20 for potatoes.

Mrs. James Clark has the thanks of the writer for the nice mess of river fish sent in last week.

Mrs. A. E. Boyd, the oldest woman in Auglaize township, entertained her sisters, Mrs. Rambo and Miss N. A. Ashling, for dinner last Tuesday.

John Musser has purchased the Lydda Lippincott property and will move there in the near future.

Hazard Apple has remodeled his house with a large window in the front room and other needed improvements.

Dr. Roberts is building a large veranda on the front of his home. Guy Dillon has moved in part of Ray Cook's property. He will work for William Holland.

Eldon Coolidge will move to Sushsylvania, Logan county, this week.

Shepard Shelley has returned from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Josie Curtis, of Tipton, Ind.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED AND SORE FEET

Use "Tiz" for Puffed-Up, Burning, Aching, Caloused Feet and Corns.

"Tiz" makes your feet glow with comfort; takes down swellings and draws the soreness and misery right out of feet that chafe, smart and burn. "Tiz" instantly stops pain in corns, callouses and bunions. "Tiz" is glorious for tired, aching, sore feet. No more shoe tightness—no more foot torture.

Why go limping around with aching, puffed-up feet—feet so tired, chafed, sore and swollen you can hardly get your shoes on or off? Why don't you get a 25-cent box of "Tiz" from the drug store now and gladden your tortured feet?

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AMERICA TAKES UP VOCATIONAL TRAINING IDEA

Federal Aid Bill is Now Before Congress Awaiting Vote.

STATES TO GET FUNDS

City Youths to be Taught Mechanical Trades as Never Before.

By Frederic J. Haskins.

WASHINGTON, D. C. May 19.—The vocational school, product of European educational systems, is soon to become an American institution. A bill authorizing the establishment of a federal board for vocational education and appropriations for vocational schools has been reported favorably by the committee on Education and now awaits the vote of Congress. This bill, called the Smith-Hughes Bill because it was introduced in the House by Congressman Dudley M. Hughes and in the Senate by Senator Hoke Smith, both of Georgia, includes the substance of the Smith-Lever Act of 1914, which provided that the federal government should cooperate with the various states in teaching scientific farming in the rural communities.

Briefly, the Smith-Lever Act provided funds for each state that could produce an equal amount, to be expended in teaching the youth of the farming districts how to farm. Already the crops raised by these students are from 50 to a 100 per cent superior to those raised under the old methods.

While the youth on the farm was being trained, by government assistance, the youth of the cities was often leaving the public schools unprepared to earn his living, for only our larger cities have vocational training. After spending eight years of his life in the school room, the American boy is hardly further equipped towards earning a living than he was when he first started. He may show a distinct aptitude for several things, but is handicapped on account of his lack of practical training, with the result that he is compelled to accept the first job which opportunity offers. Having a leaning toward mechanics or bricklaying, he must sell newspapers or become an office boy because he does not know how to do anything else. The apprentice system long ago went out of existence, leaving no kind of training to take its place.

In Georgia, particularly, the lack of trained labor is a serious problem. The state is rich in agriculture and minerals, which instead of building up large industries there, are shipped to New England and the middle west for manufacture. Congressman Hughes of Georgia has in his office a device for sealing letters made in Findlay, Ohio, from kaolin ore mined in his county. If Georgia could supply the skilled labor to operate factories, capital would locate there instead of moving on to the north and west. This statement applies to much of the south.

Furthermore, the whole United States needs vocational education. Congressman Hughes estimates that out of the one million youths who yearly begin the earnings of their living, only 25,000 are in any way prepared to undertake the task. To provide these boys with technical education that will permit them confidently to pursue their trade, is the main purpose of the federal board. The girls, also, are to be taught home economics and appropriate trades, in addition to which there is also provision for adult who make up the large army of unskilled workers.

The federal board for vocational education is to consist of four members, appointed by the president and the United States commissioner of education, who is to be its chairman. When the bill was first drafted it provided that the board should consist of the members of the cabinet, but this was seriously objected to by the National Society for the Promotion of Vocational Education. It was pointed out by them that the secretaries of the various departments had all and more than they could attend to at present, and the work would be left to some under secretary or clerk who might happen not to be equipped to handle the job. Instead, it was suggested that

the members of the board be chosen from the various trades represented— one each from agriculture, labor, industry and commerce. The bill as it now stands is a compromise between the two, the departmental secretaries being eliminated, but the president being allowed to choose anyone he wishes from a lawyer or college professor to an expert plumber.

The board is created for the purpose of studying and doing research work concerning the vocational school. European methods will be investigated and discussed, and the various trades and labor problems of the country taken into consideration. Various sections of the country will be studied, with a view to determining where are needed the most plumbers, the most blacksmiths, the greatest number of factory hands, or mechanics. The results of this investigation will then be turned over to the state boards for vocational education for the information of the teachers.

The majority of children at the age of 14 or 15 do not show marked adaptability for any one trade or profession. There are exceptions, of course, where boys show distinct tendencies to be mechanics or bookkeepers, but the average lad reaches the age of 21 with more or less regrets that he did not go into forestry instead of law, or bricklaying instead of plumbing, or farming instead of stocks and bonds. It is also a well known fact that if one boy who enjoys a certain amount of prestige among his schoolmates decides that he wants to be an actor or a street car conductor, all the other boys immediately decide upon the same thing. Thus the problems confronting the teacher of vocational education are not always as simple as the psychologists would have us believe.

The Smith-Hughes Act, therefore, not only provides funds for the states to expend in procuring teachers to carry on vocational schools, but it also makes appropriations for training vocational teachers. The sum of \$500,000 is appropriated the first year to be divided among the states in proportion to their rural population, and a like amount for the urban population. This is increased by \$250,000 each year until it reaches \$3,000,000, which is the highest appropriation. Thus Illinois, which has a rural population of over 2,000,000 persons, will receive nearly \$22,000 the first year for agricultural instruction; and with an urban population of over 5,000,000 will receive \$30,650 for city vocational schools.

In addition to these appropriations, \$500,000 is to be divided among the states for the training of teachers for vocational instruction. This is increased yearly by \$200,000 until 1920, when \$1,000,000 is reached, which is the maximum amount to be appropriated for that purpose.

This money is to be given to state boards for vocational education created by state legislation, which will have to comply with the regulations of the act before they may take advantage of its provisions. The vocational schools to be established by the state boards or endowed by them with federal funds must be controlled by the public, and may be of three classes: "All-day schools in which practically half of the time should be given to actual practice for a vocation on a useful or productive basis; part-time schools for young workers over 14 years of age which should extend either their vocational knowledge or give preparation for entrance to a vocation or extend the general civic or vocational intelligence of the pupils; and evening schools to extend the vocational knowledge for mature workers over 16 years of age." In order to take advantage of the federal money provision, the state must raise an equal amount either by legislative appropriation or municipal efforts or gifts from interested citizens. Under the Smith-Lever Act for agricultural extension work, a great deal of the money contributed by the states was raised by the various women's organizations and clubs.

While there are a few industrial

FRECKLES

Now Is the Time to Get Rid of These Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription ointment—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of ointment—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength ointment as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

F. J. MEYERS,

PHONE MAIN 5108. 108 EAST SPRING. WE DELIVER.

Sugar, 10 lbs.	82c	Cala Hams, lb.	13c
Flour, large sk.	\$1.50	Bacon, lb.	18c
Flour, small sk.	75c	Pickled Pork, lb.	12c
Flour, Gold Medal	90c	Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Fresh Corn Meal	10c	Lima Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Prunes, 3 lbs.	23c	Peanut Butter, 2 lbs.	23c
Rice, 3 lbs.	23c	Milk, 5c size, 6 cans.	25c
Lard Compound, lb.	14c	Milk, 10c size, 3 cans.	25c
Pure Lard, lb.	16c	Toilet Paper, 10 rolls.	25c
Large Dill Pickles, doz.	20c	Sweet Mixed Pickles, per measure	10c
Large Sour Pickles, doz.	20c	Corn, 3 cans	25c
Naptha Soap, 6 bars.	25c	Teas, 3 cans	25c
Kraut, 4 lbs.	19c	Sardines, 6 cans	25c
Potatoes, bu.	\$1.15		

and vocational schools in this country, there is no adequate provision for this sort of education at all. In its investigations into the subject the committee on education discovered that the United States has fewer trade schools than Bavaria and not many public facilities for training workers as the city of Munich in Germany. There are over 14,000,000 industrial workers in this country, and it is estimated that not one out of every hundred of these has had any opportunity for preparing himself for his trade. The Smith-Hughes Bill is designed to remedy this unfortunate situation.

Words of Praise For Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

"Last winter I used two bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," writes Mrs. John Miller, Roanoke, Ind. "It cured me of a severe cold on the lungs and an aggravating cough. I have recommended this remedy to a great many people who have used it and have nothing but words of praise for it. Obtainable everywhere."

Taking the Census.

From 1790 to 1870 the actual work of gathering census statistics was performed by United States marshals, and the enumerations varied in length from ten to eighteen months. In 1880 there was adopted the plan, followed at all subsequent censuses, of having this work done by a large body of enumerators under the direction of supervisors.

ELDERLY WOMEN SAFEGUARDED

Tell Others How They Were Carried Safely Through Change of Life.

Durand, Wis.—"I am the mother of fourteen children and I owe my life to

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. When I was 45 and had the Change of Life, a friend recommended it and it gave me such relief from my bad feelings that I took several bottles. I am now well and healthy and recommend your Compound to other ladies."

—Mrs. MARY RIDGWAY, Durand, Wis. A Massachusetts Woman Writes: Blackstone, Mass.—"My troubles were from my age, and I felt awfully sick for three years. I had hot flashes often and frequently suffered from pains. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and now am well."

—Mrs. PIERRE COUNOYER, Box 229, Blackstone, Mass. Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, backaches, dread of impending evil, timidity, sounds in the ears, palpitation of the heart, sparks before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness and dizziness, should be heeded by middle-aged women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has carried many women safely through this crisis.

OLD TIME DANCES ON THE PROGRAM

The first of the dances to be given by L. M. Rogers on a floor that he is having constructed in the Ash-ton hollow, just south of the South Main street bridge, will be held tomorrow. However, lovers of the fox trot, the tango and other of the late dances, will not shine on the dance floor without a roof, instead old-fashioned quadrilles or square will be the feature.

According to the owner of the hall, an oval shaped roller skating rink will later be built around the edge of the dance floor, which is 40x60 feet in dimensions. To keep away the inquisitive, a high board fence is built around the floor.

Times wants bring results quickly.



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PEQUOD

Mrs. Harvey Jenkins remains quite poorly.

Allen Foust and Miss Lucile Stemen made a business trip to Lima Wednesday.

Mrs. John Cremean spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Schell. Quite a number from here attended the entertainment given at Zion Saturday evening. An interesting program was enjoyed and a nice little sum was realized.

John Dulebohn and family of Lima, spent Saturday evening and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dilsaver.

Mrs. Sol. Bowers and Mrs. Frank Schell and children spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Chas. Dilsaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Good were Lima shoppers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stemen and children were Sunday visitors at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Rabely of Southworth.

John Cremean and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Mariele and Sam Baxter and family Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Foust, Mrs. Sol. Bowers and Miss Lucile Stemen were Delphos shoppers Thursday.

Roy Haviland and family spent Sunday with C. P. Ridenour and family.

A family from Troy, Ohio, who were tenting a few days at the Auglaize river, left Tuesday for Michigan.

C. E. Young of Beaverdam, agent for the Watkin company, was a caller in this vicinity Thursday.

Ed Harner and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jenkins.

John Dulebohn and family and Mrs. John Dilsaver spent Monday afternoon with Frank Schell and family.

Stewart McDonel and family spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert McDonel, while their house was being fumigated.

Mrs. John Cremean and daughter Maud, spent Sunday with Jasper Kitchen and family.

Traffic on North Main street near North, was blocked last night about 3 o'clock, when a North Main street car became disabled when the reduction coil ignited and caused a dense cloud of smoke to envelope the car. The Central fire department answered the call and soon extinguished the blaze by the use of chemicals.

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Don't Suffer! Get a Dime Package of Dr. James' Headache Powder.

You can clear your head and relieve a dull, splitting or violent throbbing headache in a moment with a Dr. James' Headache Powder. This old-time headache relief acts almost magically. Send some one to the drug store now for a dime package and a few moments after you take a powder you will wonder what became of the headache, neuralgia and pain. Stop suffering—Dr. James' Headache Powder. Be sure you get what you ask for.

Hart Schaffner & Marx Varsity Fifty-Five

Mark Twain said: "Nature might have made a better fruit than the strawberry---but nature never did."

We feel that way about our new Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits--the famous Varsity Fifty-Five models.

Maybe somebody might make clothes of 'smarter style and better quality at the price---but nobody ever has.

All wool cloths of standard dyes—in the very newest and freshest of styles.

Prices begin as usual—at \$18, and whether you pay \$18 or \$25 or \$35 you have the Morris Bros. guarantee of perfect satisfaction.

Straw Hat Season is here. We have them in all the newest shapes and styles, \$1 to \$5.

Silk Shirts, \$1.50 to \$5.

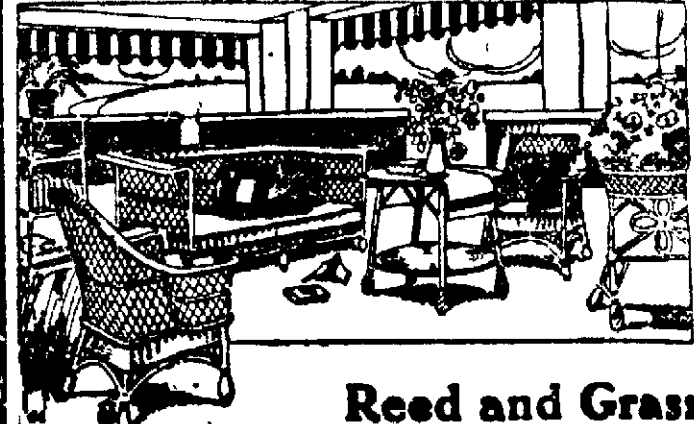
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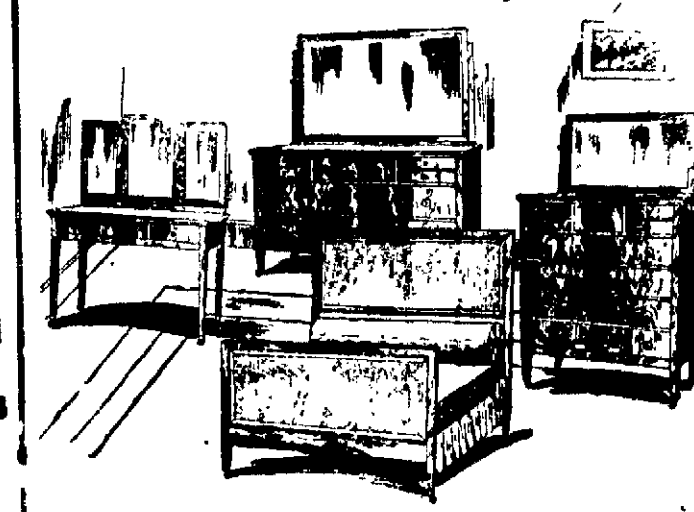


"You Furnish the Wife—We'll Furnish the Home" Hundreds are the happy homes we have furnished in Allen County and there are many more hundreds which we have had a share in furnishing. May we not do as much for you. If you need a whole outfit we can make you special inducements. If it is but an article our unexcelled prices and service are yours.



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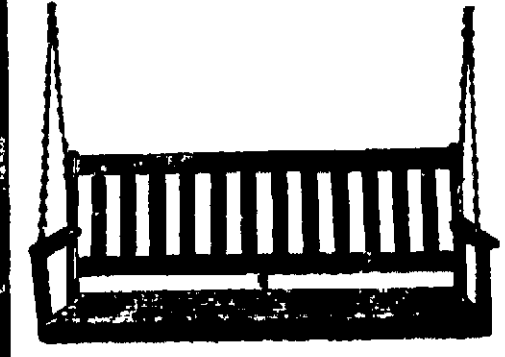


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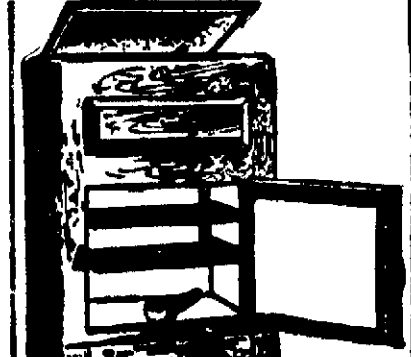


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Top icers, front icers, plain and white enamel.



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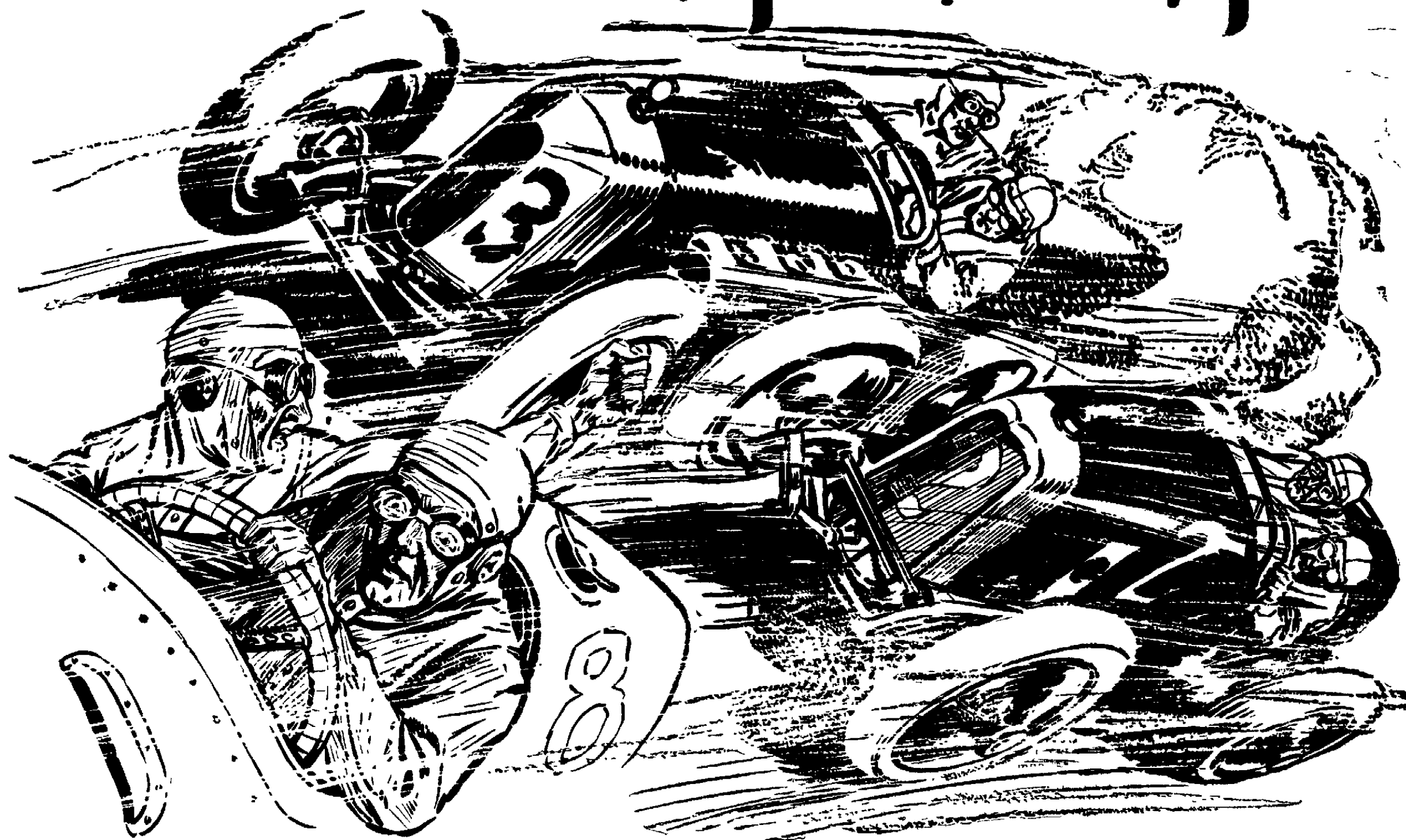
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YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD



CARL G. FISHER
President Indianapolis Motor Speedway

SUPPOSE at your breakfast table this morning your wife should greet you with this suggestion: "John, let us go to the automobile race today. I feel like taking a walk. We will stroll alongside of the cars and talk to the drivers." It would be enough to make you choke on your coffee. The mere thought of getting too near the modern rubber-shod demons of speed makes you wonder if your life insurance is paid up. To attempt to carry on conversation with the huddled forms bent double over the steering wheels of the snorting cars that whiz past, is simply indicative of something uncomplimentary. But this is exactly the way people went to the first auto race in America—they leisurely walked alongside of the cars and, while history is vague as to the exact conversation between drivers and pedestrians, it is probable that the spectators were "kidding" the drivers. We can even imagine these men being called "stationary engineers," so slowly did their craft move.

World's Most Expensive Sport



Nine Speedways Hold Auto Races This Year Sixth International Classic At Indianapolis

PERHAPS the analogy is not "literature" but it certainly is apt and depicts the idea that racing is the hen that hatched the great automobile industry.

You, who never saw an automobile race, who never drive more than twenty miles an hour and shy from a car famed for its racing as if it was an untamed animal, are nevertheless indebted to the time annihilating sport for the safety of your car. The literate engineer tells us that "speed spells safety." In fact, cars in this country were never built in any quantity greater than one or two at a time until one builder was so inspired as a result of what his car did in a race, that he had the preposterous nerve to start building as many as twelve cars. Be it said to his immortal credit that three of these were sold. And they were sold, not bought. It was racing that imbued these pioneers with the courage of their convictions, back in 1895 when gasoline took on a new significance. A Duryea car was entered in America's first automobile race—also the French word "automobile" was not then an accepted term. As the historian measures time this was only yesterday—but if you gauge time by what the automobile industry has accomplished, it was long, long ago, back in the dark ages of the self-propelled vehicle. This race was a fizzle, it is admitted. From a historical viewpoint it was one of the greatest single events in automobile history.

That the pleasure of motoring down to your office is possible in 1916, and was not delivered until your great-grandson's time, is largely due to the fact that a certain newspaper aroused nationwide interest in an automobile race at a time when there was grave doubt whether there was even one car built with enough necessary merit to permit it to start a race—let alone finish.

German Car Wins

It was known as the "Times-Herald" race and was postponed time and again for the all-sufficient reason that despite the papers' enthusiasm and boasting enough entrants could not be found to run with a microphone. It was originally scheduled for July 4 with \$5,000 worth of prizes to spur the isolated inventors. Pity newspapers saw an opening here for "much poking of fun" at the Times-Herald, but the man behind it, Kodakman, was not to be denied his

automobile race. Finally, on Thanksgiving Day a consolation race was staged in the streets of Chicago. A German car—a Benz—entered by Mueller of Decatur, Ill., won the race and the \$500, despite the inherent mechanical troubles of the car and the adverse weather conditions including twelve inches of snow. Duryea's car—a one-cylinder contraption driven by a belt—started alright but had a case of tag your rear it with a team of horses ending by the Duryea going into the ditch with a broken wheel. The Men From Home—that is, Haynes and Agnew from Kokomo, Indiana—were on the job with a car that won \$0 prize for the best designed vehicle motor, but it practiced that present day habit of motor cars it skidded and broke a wheel and never got farther than the starting line.

Goose With Barium Circus

But this race gave the automobile industry a shove the momentum of which is still gaining impetus.

In 1896, on Memorial Day, John Brien Walker fathered another race, the course of which was New York City, starting from the City Hall. Duryea's son won with ease. The Wild Man From Rome, Europe's first automobile race was staged in 1894 from Paris to Rouen and twelve months later the world's breath was momentarily taken away by the dash of a French car going 744 miles an hour at an average speed of about 15 miles an hour.

The first race that assumed an international aspect was held in London Nov. 14, 1896. It was on this day England extended its ruling that an automobile had to be preceded in the streets by a man waving a red flag and other rules that prohibited speed maniacs such as exceeding four miles an hour. Frank Duryea won this race with his "Made in U.S.A." car almost an hour before his nearest rival.

Contemporary with these race events and resultant of their inspiration an important proof of the horrace vehicle success, the first automobile industry was entering from its embryonic stage and feeling its way toward its present magnitude. It was still in the cradling period, not able yet to stand on its legs and make the seven-league stride that later characterizes it.

But whether we share the enjoyment of motor car racing with its recent days, we must admit of the important function it played in giving us this industry.

If Adam Had An Auto

Time and distance have been the two main obstacles to civilization's progress from the time that Adam stumped his toe while out gathering nuts for breakfast. To get a long hour and a shorter mile has been the object of every age, so that the introduction of this new means of locomotion was in harmony with the world's need.

Using this need as the premise motor car builders began to blossom forth in blacksmith shops, wood sheds, and even domestic kitchens all over the United States. Even our present day first Voters can remember without stripping their memory of a how a motor car was first built and its genius who was first, with wheels, wires

and parts from buggies. True most of these motor car forefathers were looked upon by their neighbors as being just a wee bit off, but few took them seriously until now and then one of them actually got together enough odds and ends that would start but would not stop—then there was a transgression or a hitching post bent.

Between these first samples at motor car racing and the present day genuine articles many things contributed to shape the course of events. Factories sprang up generally and various contests were held, such as twenty-four hour races on mile dirt tracks, the Vanderbilt race that kept folks up all night and ruined many a digestion; the Crown Point road races, etc. In themselves, they were interesting and worth the price of admission and taken collectively they registered as in a speedometer, rapid progress of the car builders. From a sensational viewpoint it remained for four Hoosiers to dream

a dream of thrill-engendering attributes that dwarfed all previous race undertakings. This dream heralded the dawn of today's speedway racing.

Indiana Heads the List

The Sixth International Sweepstakes race is to be held at Indianapolis, May 30th. Many foreign entries are promised despite the fact that Ralph De Palma won last year in a German made car.

C. G. Fisher, A. C. Newby, James Allison and A. C. Wheeler were seated under a spreading maple tree eating a midnight lunch at the Indiana State Fair Grounds. On the horse track two National cars were phlegmatically chasing each other, driven by boys from the shops. (This was before the day of professional drivers) who were determined to race the lands of the clock for twenty-four hours. Perhaps it was the romantic flicker from the camp fire, maybe it was the moon, or the sandwiches, but certainly

something "got a spark" from the brains of these successful business men and started them aeroplaning mentally to dizzy heights. The paradox of it all is that no matter how high their imaginations soared, they kept their feet on the ground. They were not inspired by moon-making ambitions either. It was the love of the sport, and the good of the industry that they had in mind, for all of them were automobile manufacturers.

When dawn came these men started prospecting for a suitable site near enough to Indianapolis where they could build America's first speed arena. Five miles northwest of the city, as they drove along the dusty rural road, they passed several corn fields where the farmers were beginning their day's plowing. Time—plus a lot of hard work—has metamorphosed those corn fields into a great race course, enclosed by high fences and observation towers, endowed with a two and a half mile paved track with high banked curves, and beautified by flowers, lawns and shade trees to say nothing of the enormous grand stands that seat about 100,000. There was nothing homeopathic about what these men did—they thought and acted on a large scale.

Today after you note your way thru a throng of thousands and thousands of gasoline scented and dust covered tourists from the four corners of the map and find your expensive box seats in one of the mammoth grand stands—you have no thoughts of "kidding" the drivers. One is too awed by the splendor and size of the grounds, by the spectacular array of brightly polished cars and the calm matter of fact way the intrepid pilots prepare to flirt with death.

Nine Speedways Today

The first race on the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, the dean of them all, was held in August, 1909. It was a 300-mile event. Others have been run every succeeding year, ranging from one-mile events up to 500-mile and have attracted the finest creations of Europe, to invade America and exert every possible effort to wrest the speed laurels. Europe it must be admitted has had its lion's share of success too, although a few American-made cars have held their own stubbornly. Following the Indianapolis example—other cities have built speedways, two of which got on the front pages prominently, last year, one at Chicago and one at New York. There are in all nine, temples consecrated to the worship of Mercury. More than a quarter million dollars were given away in prizes in 1915 at the races held on these nine courses. It is the world's most expensive sport. A single entry costs about \$500.

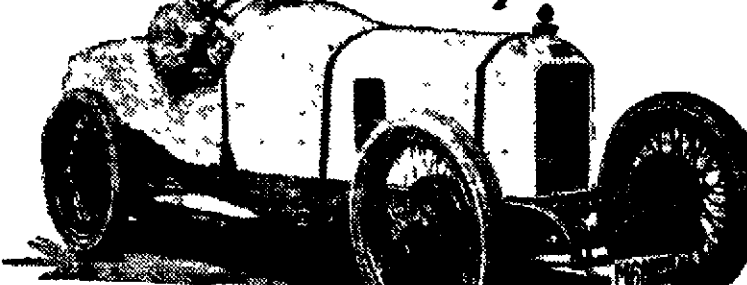
Speed spells safety—it means a car that endures the abnormal strain, vibration and wear imposed at sustained speed will live longer when in daily routine private owner service. It means that racing has inspired the industry, has found the "justices in mechanical construction and in fact, the race track has been the laboratory where experiments were made and the all-scientific secrets discovered. We may not believe in racing—but we must believe in what it has done and is still doing. You may own a car of a make that was never in a race—but chances are ten to one that the steering knuckle on your car is safe because of what racing taught some other maker about steering knuckles. If not this, then the type of motor you have or even, maybe, the shape of your car's body.

Entries for Indianapolis Race, May 30th

Driver	Car	From
Barney Oldfield	Delage	Los Angeles
Dario Resta	Peugeot	Europe
Eddie O'Donnell	Duesenberg	Minneapolis
Wilbur D'Alene	Duesenberg	Minneapolis
Not Announced	Duesenberg	Minneapolis
Eddie Rickenbacher	Maxwell	Indianapolis
Pete Henderson	Maxwell	Canada
Not Announced	Maxwell	Canada
Louis Chevrolet	Frontenac	Europe and Detroit
Arthur Chevrolet	Frontenac	Europe and Detroit
Gaston Chevrolet	Frontenac	Europe and Detroit
Tom Rooney	Premier	Chicago
Gil Anderson	Premier	Norway
Harry Stillman	Premier	Indianapolis
Josef Christiaens	Sunbeam	London
Not Announced	Sunbeam	Europe
S. Ostweg	Ostweg	Lee, Ill.
Ralph Mulford	Peugeot	Brooklyn
C. F. Du Chesneau	Du Chesneau	Kansas City
Tom Alley	Orgen Special	Midwaukee
Mystery Driver	Mystery Car	Cleveland
John Aitken	Peugeot	Indianapolis
Charlie Merz	Peugeot	Indianapolis
Carl Limberg	Delage	Pittsburgh
Jack Le Chate	Delage	New Orleans
Not Announced	Delage	New Orleans
Billy Chandler	Crawford	New York
Louis Johnson	Crawford	New York
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Several more entries are expected, but the Speedway announces only those definitely signed

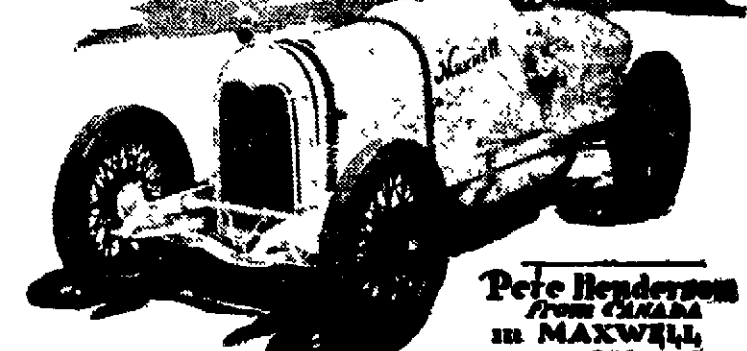
Johnny Aitken
in PEUGEOT
from Paris



Josef Christiaens
from LONDON
in SUNBEAM
from England



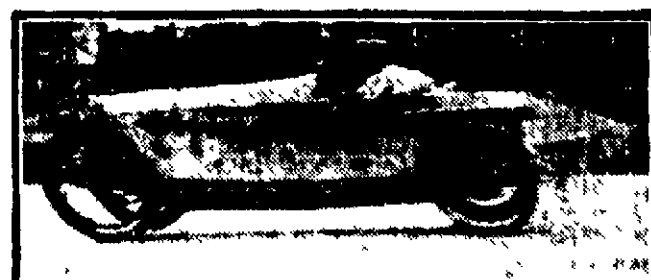
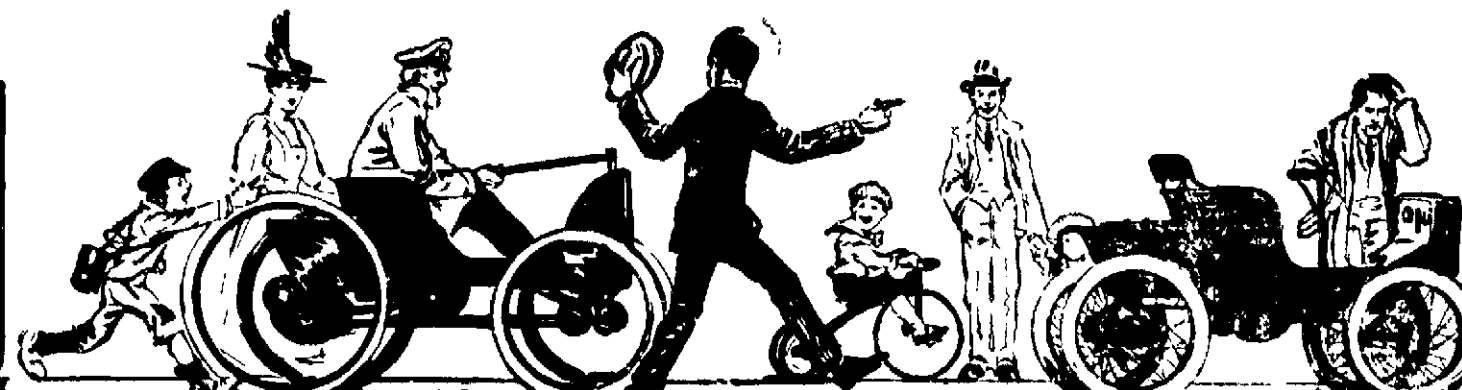
Pete Henderson
from CHICAGO
in MAXWELL



America's First Auto Race—A Crawl to 100 M. P. H. Today



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RALPH De PALMA in a GERMAN MERCEDES

CARTERS PETITION FOR AN INJUNCTION

Take Legal Method to Head Off Allentown Road Improvement.

Kate and James Carter of 1203 Allentown road, today asked court for an injunction, enjoining the Board of Allen County Commissioners, Allen McKeany, director of public service, the city of Lima and Henry S. Enck, contractor, from going on their premises, ploughing up the same and interfering in any way with their rights and privileges.

They own lots 79 and 80 in Seishelm's addition to Clifton and when the city decided to extend the corporate limits, included this property. The object is to improve the Allentown road, now interlocked, they claim, with property not before used as a passage-way.

For the past several days the Carter's and the road contractors have been at odds, over the improvement to be made in the survey of the highway through their place.

The motion for injunction will be heard on Monday at 9 o'clock.

CRIDERSVILLE

A nine pound baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Shaffer, Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Elmer Pregler and daughter, Mary, of one and one-half mile southeast of here, were Monday callers on Mrs. Adam Norman.

Miss Vivian Graham of Hume, was the guest of Mable Williams, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Glenn Drummond is ill with a fever.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Romehe were the Sunday guests of Jacob Sands.

Mrs. Agnes Morey of Lima, spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. A. Overhizer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Schroyer of Celina, were the Sunday guests of J. W. Naylor.

Miss Vera Reichelderfer left Wednesday morning for Toledo, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. C. Wheeler.

Misses Bonnie Speece and Ruth Medo of Lima, called on D. T. Barton's, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson who purchased the R. D. property some time ago are now moving into it.

Miss Roberta Church left Thursday for Bryan, where she will visit her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Constien of Lima, were Wednesday afternoon callers here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bowsher and family spent Sunday with the former's parents.

Mrs. Adam Norman called on Mrs. Daniel Brogel, Monday.

Mrs. Drummond of Saint Johns, is the guest of Glenn Drummond.

Misses Ernestine Bowsher and Maudie Cecil and Mr. Earl Miller were the Sunday guests of John Mowery's.

P. B. Blank moved to Lima last week and P. A. Sheeley now occupies the Spyker house.

Mrs. William Harold returned home Monday, after several days' visit in Springfield.

Harry Martin of near Wapakoneta, spent last Sunday with Chester Brandt.

Miss Bertha Mowery took Sunday dinner with Jerry Mowery's.

Mrs. Iams is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Homer South.

Miss Beatrice Blank spent Sunday with her parents at Lima.

Miss Ladona Bloyer is spending several weeks with her uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore DeLong returned home Tuesday, after having spent several joyful days at Russell Point.

Mrs. J. A. Burden of near Wapakoneta, is visiting Dean Shaffer's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Moore and Mrs. Rose Hoopinger and son, Ralph, were Sunday guests of Mrs. A. Overhizer.

Mrs. Gwendolyn Bowsher of this place, spent Saturday and Sunday at Wapakoneta with Mr. and Mrs. D. Bowsher.

Mr. F. E. DeLong spent Sunday with his family.

Miss Treasa Barton of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Ellad, motored to Bowling Green, where they will attend the missionary convention.

Misses Iva Waters, Marie Miller and Ethel Kelley all of Lima, spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. L. Naus.

A party was given for Roy Sellers in honor of his sixteenth birthday, Tuesday evening, May 16th. The evening was spent in old-fashioned games which the young folks all enjoyed. A delicious lunch was served. Those present were the members of the Cridersville high school, his Sunday school class and a few other intimate friends. Miss Edith Link and Caroline Winget of Wapakoneta, with Mr. C. F. Digel of Lima, chaperoned the crowd.

Miss Emma Blank of Lima, spent Wednesday evening in Cridersville.

Mr. Arlie Reichelderfer is now able to be around.

Mrs. F. E. DeLong and Miss Amanda Shaffer were business callers in Lima, Monday.

SUNSHINE SEE

By LESLIE SOMERS.

She ran down to the end of the lane when she caught sight of the little white mail cart coming up the hill. The March air was fresh and keen, with a hint of spring.

"Get a letter from New York state for you, Sue," said the old mail carrier, cheerfully.

Sue colored a little and laughed. She jumped on along the country road, and Sue sat on the stone wall beside the mail box to read her letter. It was an answer to her advertisement.

"Dear Madam: 'While I have not had years of experience in farm work, I should like to apply for the position you offer. Am fond of horses and all animals, was brought up on a farm and can manage one the size of yours. I am sure, with profit to yourself. Am twenty-seven, unmarried, and so anxious to shake the dust of the city off my heels and hit green fields again that I'd walk from here to Spring Valley if you say the word.'

"Hopefully yours,

"BART WILLIAM."

"I think you're taking a fearful risk on your shoulders, Sue," her mother said after she had read the letter. "You could hire the farm work done."

"I won't do that this year, mother dear. Last spring we tried it, and it was a perfect treat."

Accordingly, Spring Valley had a thrill the end of the week when a tall, determined-looking young man swung off the early boat train with a suitcase and asked the way to the Loomis farm.

Old Mrs. Loomis saw him from the sitting-room window and went out to greet him. As she said later to Sue, she just couldn't help taking to him right away.

"You'll have to get Sue more than me," said Mrs. Loomis. "I'm sure I like the look of you real well."

Getting Sue was a serious occupation, Bart found out. She liked him at first sight, the same as her mother had, but she had no intention of letting him know the fact.

"The first day of his arrival she led him all over the forty-seven acres. He found that day by day she was beside him when he least expected to see her, advising, correcting and consulting with him."

"You see, I love the land and I want to build it up," she told him. "Father just took and took from it year after year and wondered why it didn't bear for him, but I'm running it differently. I never liked the house, though. It's so bare and lonesome looking."

"Perhaps toward fall there'll be time to do something with it," Bart said. "You can do wonders with cement and paint and ideas."

"But—" Sue hesitated. "I thought—you only said you'd stay until the summer's work was done."

"I like it here," the city boy answered briefly, lifting his head to the sun and air and beauty of it all like the horses, bees and ready, out in the pasture. "I'll stay as long as I suit you, Miss Loomis."

Under his care the old farm seemed to put forth its very best efforts to make good. There had never been such a garden crop, even Mrs. Loomis said.

"Don't it seem good to have a man around?" Mrs. Loomis said to her one early morning as Sue cooked breakfast. "It'll be right lonesome when he's gone."

Her own heart echoed the words, but Sue laughed. Wasn't she the man?

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Kre-Mo Sterilized Rice Fine For Breakfast.

You'll like Kre-Mo Sterilized Rice served in any style for breakfast. If you have tired of pancakes, try waffles made from Kre-Mo. The only fault that you can find with them is that they taste like more. But don't think that Kre-Mo is a breakfast food alone. It can be served in so many ways that it is delightful for any meal. It has a distinctive flavor that cannot be imitated. This splendid cereal has become so popular in the short time it has been on the market, that it has been widely imitated, even in regard to the name. Ask for and get the genuine article with the Japanese Kre-Mo Girl on the square package.

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around the place? They wouldn't need any assistant manager after the crops were harvested and laid down.

She hurried out of doors and down the lane with food for the turkey, and met him half way with the milk pails.

"The land glows this morning, doesn't it?" he called to her happily. "I was slow because I went over to look at the lower meadows. With you'd forget about your hay down there next year and give me those fresh fields for prize cattle. I'd start with six and buy more land as we needed it. Don't you want to take on a partner, Sue?"

He spoke her name unthinkingly, quite as if he were accustomed to it, and Sue was silent, looking away from him at the stretch of home acres.

"It's such a bully little place if it's treated right. I've been planning some new things for next year."

Sue looked up at him quickly, her eyes full of surprised acknowledgment of what his words meant to her.

"I thought sure you'd go to the dairy farm. They want you and they can pay four times as much as I can down there."

"No, they can't Sue." His voice lowered until it seemed to her the whole world must hold its breath to catch what he was telling her. "I want to go shares on the farm here with you. I've got some money saved, enough to get into the place and stock it up right for us. And I want you, too. I won't take the farm without you."

"Mother's waiting for the milk for her breakfast, and I forget all about it," she faltered. "Oh, Bart, somebody'll see you from the road."

But Bart never appeared even to remember the road. There was just the lane in its dew-drenched sweetness and the fragrance next to them, and Sue held close in his arms.

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HARROD R. D. NO. 2

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Brentlinger took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McClure of near Lafayette.

Lewis Henry of Redfield, Texas, is visiting at the Frank Edgcomb home.

Earl Edgcomb was in Westminster, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Frank Warner called at A. M. Stevenson's Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Frank Warner and daughter, Chloe, and son Marion, called on Mrs. John Wilson, Monday afternoon.

Grandma Barge is again very ill, her friends are very sorry to hear of her not being so well.

A. M. Stevenson, a business caller at Will Smith's Wednesday evening. Will Smith has been planting corn for Alvan Gooderdeen.

G. P. Oberly planted corn Wednesday.

Frank Edgcomb has his ground

CORNS COME OFF LIKE BANANA PEEL

Wonderful, Simple "Geta-It" Never Fails to Remove Any Corn Easily.

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Estella Edgcomb was in Lima, Tuesday, on business.

Miss Inez Edgcomb is working for Ed Hoyer's until Mrs. Hoyer returns from the west. Hoyer's live near West Newton.

Franklin Edgcomb returned home Tuesday, after spending the week-end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edgcomb.

RURAL M. E. CHURCHES.

W. W. Constien, pastor, 1125 St. Johns avenue.

Shawnee: Sunday school, 9:30; worship and sermon, 10:30.

Fletcher: Sunday school, 1 p. m.; 2 p. m., Attorney Elmer McClain, of Lima, will speak.

Cridersville: Sunday school, 9 a. m.; 2 p. m., memorial service will be held. The G. A. R. and Women

of the Relief Corps of Lima and Wapakoneta, will attend. At 6:20 Epworth league and election of officers.

Warsaw: Sunday school, 9 a. m. A special mothers' day service will be held in the evening at 7 o'clock under the auspices of the Epworth league. The pastor will give an address.

Read Times want column.

AVIATOR BURIED.

ELYRIA, O., May 19.—Funeral services were conducted here today for Charles Good, 30, apprentice aviator, who was drowned in the Potomac river, May 11, when the hydro-aeroplane in which he and a party were riding, tumbled into the river. He is survived by a mother and sister in this city.



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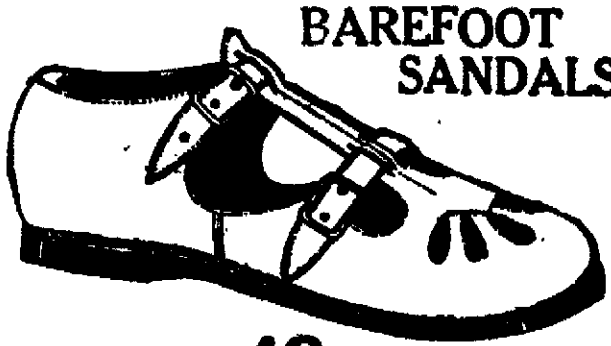
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Cincinnati at Lost Breaks a Losing Streak

CINCINNATI, O., May 19.—Cincinnati broke its long losing streak here yesterday by defeating Boston, 3 to 2. The visitors took the lead in the first inning when Evans was passed and scored on singles by Collins and Konetchy. In the fourth inning, Herzog was given a base on balls and Killifer sent the ball to the right field fence for a home run. Boston tied it up in the fifth on singles by Reulbach, Maranville and Collins. The locals put the winning tally over the plate in the seventh on Groh's single. Neale's sacrifice and Chase's single. Score:

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Maranville, ss	4	0	1	1	4	0
Evans, 2b	2	1	0	0	0	0
Fitzpatrick, 2b	1	0	0	2	3	0
Collins, cf	4	0	2	0	0	0
Willcutt, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
7 Konetchy, lb	4	0	1	1	0	1
Smith, 3b	4	0	2	2	4	0
Connelly, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Gowdy, c	3	0	0	4	3	0
Reulbach, p	3	1	0	0	5	0
xCompton	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	2	9	24	19	1

Cincinnati. AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.
Groh, 3b.....2 1 1 2 0
Neale, cf.....2 0 0 0 0
Herzog, ss.....3 1 1 2 3
Chase, 1b.....4 0 1 16 0
Griffith, rf.....3 0 1 0 0
Killifer, lf.....2 1 1 0 0
Louden, 2b.....3 0 0 0 8
Wingo, c.....4 0 1 7 3
Schneider, p.....3 0 1 0 4 0

Totals.....27 3 7 37 30 0
x-Batted for Reulbach in ninth.
Boston.....100010000-2
Cincinnati.....00020010x-3
Three base hits, Connelly; home run, Killifer; stolen bases, Smith; sacrifice hits, Killifer, Neale, Schneider; double plays, Louden, Herzog; to Chase; left on bases, Boston 7; Cincinnati 10; first base on errors Cincinnati 1; bases on balls, off Reulbach 6, off Schneider 1; hits and earned runs, off Reulbach 7 runs 3 in 8 innings, off Schneider 7 runs 2 in 9 innings; hit by pitcher, by Reulbach (Louden), by Schneider (Gowdy); struck out by Reulbach 3, by Schneider 5; umpires Kiem and Eklie; time 1:43.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 19.—Philadelphia defeated Pittsburgh, 3 to 0, here yesterday. Grover Alexander allowing the locals only four hits. The Phillies scored two runs in the fourth inning on three hits and an-

LATEST SPORTING NEWS

Milwaukee Loses On Misplays

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 19.—Willis and Faeth engaged in a pitching duel until the seventh, when five singles, mixed with errors by Thorpe and Mayer gave the visitors four runs and the game, which finished 8 to 4. Reilly's hitting featured. Score:

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Ind.	0	1	0	1	0	0
Mil.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	10	1	0	1	0	0

Willis and Gossett; Faeth, Hovlik and Mayer.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 19.—Lelivelt hit the first ball pitched to him in the twelfth inning, over the right field fence scoring Berry from second base and Kansas City defeated Louisville 4 to 3 yesterday, making it the second 12-inning game of the series won by the locals. Lelivelt gets credit for only a double, however, as the winning runner was on second. Score:

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Ind.	0	1	0	1	0	0
Mil.	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	10	1	0	1	0	0

Middleton, Luque and Williams; Humphries, Regan and Berry.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 19.—Ray Demmitt's home run in the ninth inning won yesterday's game for Columbus from Minneapolis 3 to 2. It was the first defeat of the season for Pitcher Williams. Score:

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Brook.	2	1	0	0	0	0
Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals	2	1	0	1	0	0

Batteries: Rucker, Cheney and Miller; Pierce, Seaton and Archer. Two base hits, Zimmerman 2; Schultz, Seaton; three base hit, John; stolen bases, Flack; bases on balls off Rucker 1, Cheney 1, Seaton 4; hits and earned runs off Rucker 6 hits 3 runs in 5 2-3 innings, off Cheney 5 hits 1 runs in 3 2-3 innings, Pierce 3 hits 1 run in 1 inning (none out in second), off Seaton 3 hits no runs in 9 innings; struck out by Rucker 3, by Cheney 3, Seaton 5; umpires O'Day and Eason; time 2:10.

Stomach Troubles.
Mrs. A. Toussaint, Whitesboro, N. Y., says, "Chamberlain's Tablets are excellent for stomach troubles and biliousness." Mrs. Toussaint speaks from experience in the use of these tablets. Obtainable everywhere.

STANDING

American League.			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
Cleveland	20	9	.690
Washington	18	10	.643
New York	13	12	.520
Boston	13	14	.481
Detroit	12	16	.438
Chicago	12	17	.414
Philadelphia	11	16	.407
St. Louis	10	16	.385

National League.			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	13	8	.619
Philadelphia	11	9	.553
Boston	12	13	.455
Chicago	12	13	.455
St. Louis	14	15	.483
New York	10	12	.455
Cincinnati	13	17	.433
Pittsburgh	11	17	.393

American Association.			
Clubs	W	L	Pct.
Louisville	17	10	.630
Columbus	13	8	.619
Indianapolis	14	10	.583
Minneapolis	12	9	.571
Toledo	12	10	.545
Kansas City	11	14	.440
St. Paul	9	12	.429
Milwaukee	8	21	.273

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

American League.
Cleveland 4; Washington 2.
Philadelphia 5; Chicago 1.
St. Louis 7; Boston 1.
Detroit-New York (rain).

National League.
Cincinnati 3; Boston 2.
Philadelphia 3; Pittsburgh 0.
New York 3; St. Louis 0.
Chicago 4; Brooklyn 3.

American Association.
Kansas City 4; Louisville 3 (12).
Indianapolis 8; Milwaukee 4.
Toledo 5; St. Paul 0.
Columbus 3; Minneapolis 2.

GAMES TODAY.

American League.
Cleveland at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at New York.

National League.
Brooklyn at Chicago.
Boston at Cincinnati.
New York at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.

American Association.
Kansas City at Milwaukee.
St. Paul at Minneapolis.

Cleveland Wins Bunching Hits On Star Pitcher

WASHINGTON, May 19.—Cleveland bunched hits off Walter Johnson yesterday, and defeated Washington 4 to 2. Two triples and a double gave the visitors two runs in the second inning, and in the seventh, a double, a triple and an error produced two more. The locals scored one run in the third on two singles, a sacrifice and an infield out, and one in the seventh on two hits and two bases on balls. Victory for Washington would have meant replacing Cleveland in first place. Score:

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Cleveland	5	0	2	0	0	0
Graney, lf	5	0	0	0	0	0
Turner, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Speaker, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, 2b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Wambagans, ss	4	2	2	1	4	0
Turner, 3b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Foster, 3b	5	0	2	0	2	0
Milan, cf	2	0	2	1	0	0
Rondeau, rf	3	0	1	2	0	0
Judge, 1b	3	0	0	10	1	0
Shanks, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Williams, c	4	0	0	10	2	0
McBride, ss	4	0	1	1	4	1
Johnson, p	3	1	1	0	0	0
Moeller, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	4	7	27	16	0

Washington. AB. R. BH. PO. A. E.
Morgan, 2b.....4 1 1 2 3
Foster, 3b.....5 0 2 0 2
Milan, cf.....2 0 2 1 0
Rondeau, rf.....3 0 1 2 0
Judge, 1b.....3 0 0 10 1
Shanks, lf.....4 0 1 0 0
Williams, c.....4 0 0 10 2
McBride, ss.....4 0 1 1 4
Johnson, p.....3 1 1 0 0
Moeller, x.....1 0 0 0 0 0

His car is said to be a hyphen, a Peugeot chassis with a Sunbeam motor in it.

Frank Bill, a mere slip of a boy, has arrived at Indianapolis from London. He will ride as mechanic with Josef Christaens in his Sunbeam car. He is too small to get in the British army, being only four feet, two inches tall. He has had experience as mechanic on the Brooklands Speedway, England.

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\$10.00 SUIT VALUE	\$5.98	\$17.50 SUIT VALUE	\$11.98
Dissolution Sale		Dissolution Sale	
\$12.50 SUIT VALUE	\$7.98	\$20.00 SUIT VALUE	\$13.98
Dissolution Sale		Dissolution Sale	
\$15.00 SUIT VALUE	\$9.98	\$22.50 SUIT VALUE	\$15.98
Dissolution Sale		Dissolution Sale	

SHOES FOR MEN

\$2.50 Men's Shoes.	Dissolution Sale.	\$1.94
\$3.50 Men's Shoes.	Dissolution Sale.	\$2.29
\$3.50 Men's Shoes.	Dissolution Sale.	\$2.48
\$4.50 Men's Shoes.	Dissolution Sale.	\$2.98
\$5.00 Men's Shoes.	Dissolution Sale.	\$3.98

SHOES FOR WOMEN

1 lot Ladies' Sample Shoes and Oxfords; size up to 4. Dissolution Sale.....98c

\$2.50 Ladies' Dress Shoes.	Dissolution Sale.....\$1.79
\$3.00 Ladies' Dress Pumps.	Dissolution Sale.....\$1.98
\$1.50 and \$1.25 Infants' Shoes.	Pat. Leather, fancy tops. Dissolution Sale.....89c

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\$2.00 and \$2.50 Men's Dress Pants Excellent tailored. Dissolution Sale.....\$1.48	\$3.00 Men's Rubber Boots Best make \$3.00 boot on the market. Dissolution Sale.....\$2.29	98c Men's Work Gloves Guaranteed to always stay soft and pliable. Dissolution Sale.....69c	25c Men's Hose Supporters Satin pad silk webbing. Sale Price.....17c	Men's Hats Sale Price.....\$1.48 One lot, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 Men's Hats, to close out.....98c	\$1.50 Men's Dress Shirts Fine madras cloth. Dissolution Sale.....88c	\$4.00 Men's Dress Pants Fancy worsteds and serges. Dissolution Sale.....\$2.98

<h3>BOYS' SHOES</h3> <p>Boys' Shoes, gun metal, button, 9 to 13 1/2. Dissolution Sale.....98c</p> <p>\$2.00 Youths' Shoes. Dissolution Sale.....\$1.48</p> <p>\$2.50 Boys' Shoes, sizes up to 6. bluchers. Dissolution Sale.....\$1.89</p>	<h3>MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S FURNISHINGS</h3> <p>50c Men's Dress Suspenders Excellent webbing. Dissolution Sale.....29c</p> <p>\$1.50 Men's Dress Shirts New patterns, pongee. Dissolution Sale.....88c</p> <p>50c Men's Work Shirts Blue chambray. Dissolution Sale.....39c</p> <p>5c Men's White Handkerchiefs Dissolution Sale.....3c</p> <p>25c Dress Suspenders Dissolution Sale.....16c</p> <p>10c Men's Dress Socks Black, tan and fancy colors. Dissolution Sale.....5c</p> <p>65c Men's Sport Shirts Season's new patterns. Dissolution Sale.....48c</p> <p>75c & 50c Men's Silk Ties 75c and 50c Men's Silk Ties; wide ends; new spring patterns. beautiful combination of colors. Dissolution Sale.....48c and 33c</p>	<h3>MEN'S UNDERWEAR</h3> <p>65c Men's Union Suits, long or short sleeves, closed crotch; fine yarn. Dissolution Sale.....48c</p> <p>\$1.25 Men's high grade Union Suits, short sleeve, closed crotch. Dissolution Sale.....79c</p> <p>\$1.50 Men's Union Suits, exceptionally high grade garment, long or short sleeves. Dissolution Sale.....94c</p> <p>25c Men's Silk Lisle Hose All colors. Dissolution Sale.....12c</p> <p>10c Men's Handkerchiefs 10c Men's Indigo blue and turkey red Handkerchiefs; fast colors. Dissolution Sale.....7c</p> <p>25c Work Suspenders Cross back or police style. Sale Price.....16c</p>
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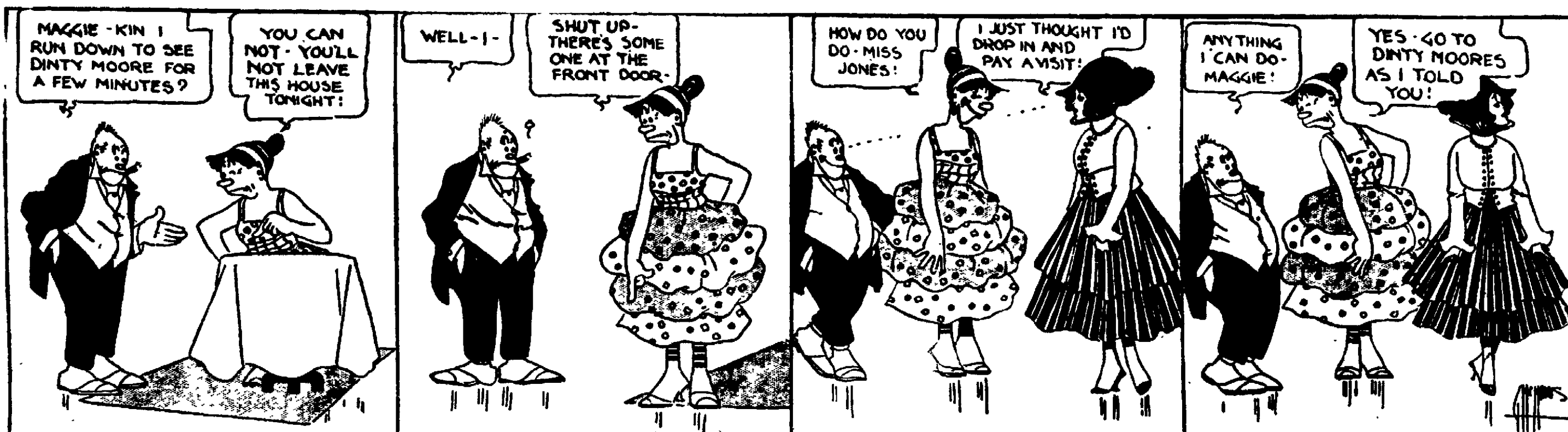
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By George McManus



MARKETS

READING ADVANCE IS WALL ST. FEATURE

NEW YORK, May 19.—Reading was again the center of interest at the opening of today's market, its point advance of the previous day to 100, or double par on an enormous overturn furnishing one of the most sensational features of recent years.

The stock opened with an offering of 12,000 shares at yesterday's record price, followed by blocks of 1,000 to 3,000 shares at steady gains up to 10 1/2. Reading second preferred also made a new high record at 52, and other leading rails responded with 1 to 2 point gains. Specialties were almost neglected in the demand for standard stocks, but material advances were registered in that quarter of the market.

The Reading movement attained more impressive proportions later, the common stock advancing to 106 1/2. Dealings in Reading during the forenoon were estimated at 160,000 shares, or about one-quarter of the entire operations of that period. Other high grade issues as well as inactive stocks of that group were favorably influenced, especially Baltimore and Ohio and New York Central, those roads holding large amounts of Reading in their treasuries. Western Maryland, recently mentioned in connection with Reading, was strongest of the obscure issues.

Profit-taking reduced gains by a point or more at mid-day. Bonds were strong.

Altho-Chalmers 28; American Beet Sugar 74; American Can 56 1/2; American Car & Foundry 61; American Locomotive 70 1/2; American Smelting & Refining 99 1/2; American Sugar Refining 113; American Tel. & Tel. 128 1/2; Anaconda Copper 85 1/2; Atchafalpa 104 1/2; Baldwin Locomotive 86 1/2; Baltimore & Ohio 92 1/2; Bethlehem Steel 45 1/2; Brooklyn Rapid Transit 87 1/2; Butte and Superior 93 1/2; California Petroleum 22 1/2; Canadian Pacific 176 1/2; Central Leather 54 1/2; Chesapeake & Ohio 63 1/2; Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 97 1/2; Chi. R. I. & Pac. Ry. 19 1/2; Chino Copper 54; Colorado Fuel & Iron 43 1/2; Corn Products 19 1/2; Crucible Steel 84; Denver & Rio Grande pfd. 26; Erie 39 1/2; General Electric 173 1/2; Goodrich Co. 77 1/2; Great Northern Ore. Cfs. 41 1/2; Great Northern pfd. 122; Illinois Central 104; Interborough Consol. Corp. 18 1/2; Inter. Harvester, N. J. 113; Inter. Merc. Mar. pfd. cfs. 91 1/2; Lackawanna Steel 70; Lehigh Valley 81; Louisville & Nashville 129 1/2; Maxwell Motor Co.

85 1/2; Mexican Petroleum 108 1/2; Miami Copper 36 1/2; M. K. & T. pfd. 11; Missouri Pacific 6 1/2; National Lead 67 1/2; New York Central 106 1/2; N. Y. N. H. & Hartford 62 1/2; Norfolk & Western 136 1/2; Northern Pacific 114 1/2; Pennsylvania 57 1/2; Ray Consolidated Copper 22 1/2; Reading 103; Republic Iron & Steel 48 1/2; Southern Pacific 99 1/2; Southern Railway 24; Studebaker Co. ex. div. 135 1/2; Texas Co. 103; Tennessee Copper 47; Union Pacific 138 1/2; United States Rubber 54 1/2; United States Steel 85 1/2; United States Steel pfd. 116 1/2; Utah Copper 81; Wabash pfd. b. 28; Western Union 94; Westinghouse Electric 62 1/2; Kennecott Copper 55 1/2.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.
EAST BUFFALO, N. Y., May 19.—Cattle, receipts 250; active and strong. Veals, receipts 200; active; \$4.00 @ 12.50. Hogs, receipts 6,500; active. Heavy and mixed \$10.35 @ 10.40; Yorkers \$10.00 @ 10.35; pigs \$9.75 @ 9.85; roughs \$9.10 @ 9.25; stags \$6.50 @ 7.50. Sheep and lambs, receipts 6,400; active. Lambs \$7.00 @ 11.25; wethers \$6.50 @ 10.00; wethers \$8.75 @ 9.25; ewes \$4.00 @ 8.50; sheep mixed \$8.50 @ 8.75.

CINCINNATI LIVE STOCK.
CINCINNATI, O., May 19.—Hogs, receipts 5,800; active. Packers and butchers \$9.75 @ 10.00; common to choice \$7.75 @ 9.35; pigs and lights \$6.00 @ 9.60; stags \$6.00 @ 7.00. Cattle, receipts 900; weak. Calves slow, \$5.00 @ 11.25. Sheep, receipts 400; strong. Lambs steady.

WOOD ALCOHOL.
CINCINNATI, O., May 19.—Alcohol wood 95 per cent 68; denatured 188 per cent 65. Gasoline tank wagon 24; 70 per cent 29.

CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK.
CLEVELAND, O., May 19.—Cattle, receipts 200, steady. Calves, receipts 300, steady. Sheep and lambs, receipts 1,000; steady. Hogs, receipts 2,000, 15 higher; Yorkers, heavies and mediums \$10.15; pigs \$9.50; roughs \$9.00; stags \$7.25.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
CHICAGO, May 19.—Hogs, receipts 13,000, firm. Bulk \$9.90 @ 10.05; light \$9.65 @ 10.10; mixed \$9.70 @ 10.15; heavy \$9.65 @ 10.20; rough \$9.65 @ 9.80; pigs \$7.50 @ 9.55. Cattle, receipts 1,000; steady. Native beef cattle \$8.10 @ 10.25; stockers and feeders \$6.00 @ 8.80; cows and heifers \$4.40 @ 9.50; calves \$8.00 @ 11.25. Sheep, receipts 5,000; steady. Wethers \$7.85 @ 10.10; lambs \$9.10 @ 12.85; springs \$11.00 @ 13.50.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 19.—Hogs, receipts 3,000; 20c higher. Heavies \$10.15 @ 10.20; heavy Yorkers \$10.10 @ 10.12 1-2; light Yorkers \$9.75 @ 9.85; pigs \$9.50 @ 9.60. Sheep and lambs, receipts 2,000; steady.

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North Lima \$1.73
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Indiana 1.56
Wooster 1.90
At Sunday.
Princeton \$1.32
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Southwestern Ohio.
Pennsylvania \$2.60
Mercer Black 2.10
Corning 2.10
Newcastle 2.10
Cabell 2.12
Somerset 1.95
Ragland .90

LOCAL MARKETS

Retail Vegetables.
Mangos, 5c each; Radishes, 5c per bunch; Cucumbers, 15c; Cabbage, 5c to 10c; New Potatoes, 7c lb.; Green Onions, 5c per bunch; Potatoes, \$1.35 bushel; Oranges 30 to 60c doz.; Lemons, 25c per doz.; Tangerines, 25c per dozen; Parsley, 5c bunch; Hot House Tomatoes, 20c apples, 50c peck; Eating Apples, 5c lb.; Strawberries, 10, 13, 18c qt.; Raspberries, 15-35c quart; Rhubarb, 5c bunch; New turnips, 7c bunch; Sweet Potatoes, 5c pound; Cabbage, 5c lb.; New Peas, 15c lb.; Pineapples, 10c, 13c, 15c, 18c; Grape Fruit, 8 @ 10c; Salsify, 8c bunch; Green Beans, 15c per pound; New Carrots, 7c bunch.

Poultry and Produce.
Creamery Butter, per lb. 30c; Good Luck Butterine, lb., 19 @ 19 1/2; Country Butter, 20 @ 20c pound; Fresh Eggs, 21c; Lard, lb., 12c; Beans, 14c; Spring Chickens, 15c per lb.; dressed, 22c lb.; Grease dressed, 16c lb.; Dressed Turkeys, 32c lb.

Live Stock Market.
Fat Steers, 9 to 1,060 lbs., 6 @ 6 1/2; heifers 6 @ 6 1/2; calves 6 @ 6 1/2; 7; bulls 5 @ 5 1/2; sheep 3 @ 6c; lambs 6 @ 6c; hogs, 7 @ 7 1/2c.

Metals.
Creamery Butter, per lb. 35c; Good Luck, per lb., 24c; Lard per lb., 18c; Brookfield Creamery Butter, 18c; Creamery Butter, 35c.

TOLEDO GRAIN.
TOLEDO, O., May 19.—Wheat, cash \$1.18 1/2; May \$1.18 1/2; July \$1.18; September \$1.19 1/2. Corn, cash 75; May 74; July 75 1/2; September 74 1/2. Oats, cash 47; May 47; July 44 1/2; September 41 1/2. Rye, No. 2, 97. Clover seed, prime cash \$8.88; October \$8.89, December \$8.77. Alsike, prime cash \$9.10; August \$9.10. Timothy, prime cash \$3.70, September \$3.55.

COTTON FUTURES.
NEW YORK, May 19.—Cotton futures closed steady. May 13.06c; July 13.17c; Oct. 13.21c; Dec. 13.35c; Jan. 13.39c.

COFFEE FUTURES.
NEW YORK, May 19.—Coffee, Rio, No. 7, 9-7-8. Futures steady; May 8.65c; Dec. 8.98c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.
CHICAGO, May 19.—Butter, higher; creamery 26 1/2 @ 29 1/2. Eggs, higher; receipts 16,752 cases; firsts 21 1/2 @ 24; ordinary firsts 20 @ 20 1/2; at mark cases included 20 @ 21 1/2. Potatoes, higher; receipts 18 cars; Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota and Dakota white 90 @ 91.00. Minnesota and Dakota Ohio's 85 @ 95. Poultry, alive, higher; fowls 18 1/2.

SUGAR FUTURES.
NEW YORK, May 19.—Raw sugar, quiet; centrifugal 6.60c; molasses 5.62c; refined steady; No. 1 granulated 7.65c.

In the market for sugar futures considerable liquidation by speculative houses was effected by an active demand from trade interests. At noon prices were unchanged to 3 points higher.

Times-Advertiser ads bring results

WHEAT GOES DOWN UNDER PEACE TALK

CHICAGO, May 19.—Wheat showed fresh weakness today as the result of peace talk, but the new declines failed to last. Opening prices which ranged from 1-4 to 1-1-2 lower, with July at \$1.12 to \$1.12 1-2, and September at \$1.12 3-8 to \$1.12 3-4, were followed by a virtual complete recovery.

Rapid progress of planting put the bulls at a disadvantage in the corn market. Advances were at hand telling also of greatly increased acreage. After opening unchanged to 3-8 lower, prices underwent a material sag all around.

Oats suffered a downturn with corn. Commission houses led the selling.

Higher quotations on hogs made provisions advance. The best demand was for lard.

The Wheat close was unsettled 5-8 to 1 3-4 net lower, with July at \$1.12 1-8 and September at \$1.12 1-2 @ 5-8.

The close was: Wheat, July \$1.12 1-8; Sept. \$1.12 1-2. Corn, July 73 5-8; Sept. 72. Oats, July 42; Sept. 39 3-8. Pork, July \$23.60, Sept. \$23.37. Lard, July \$13; Sept. \$13.12. Ribs, July \$12.87; Sept. \$12.97.

CALL MONEY.
NEW YORK, May 19.—Call money, steady; high 2, low 1 1/2; ruling rate 2, last loan 2, closing bid 1 1/2; offered at 2.

Times-Democrat want ads bring results.

UNION CHAPEL

Miss Carrie Dingleline returned home Saturday after visiting friends at Vaughnsville for several weeks. Miss Florence Cook is spending several days with her brother, Harley Cook of Lima.

Miss Thelma Fetter spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Thelma Nelson. Miss Rosa Steele returned home Saturday from Van Wert, where she was visiting her grandmother for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Clemans and son Wilbur, of Lima, were Sunday guests at Fred Fetter's.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Steele and family had as their Sunday guests, Miss Vera Falkner of Maumee, Ohio; Misses Bessie Critcher and Hattie Edgcomb of Beaverdam, and Earl Falkner of Norwalk, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Keller called at Isaiah Steele's Sunday afternoon.

Miss Winifred Anderson, from Breasler school of Bath township, will be a contestant in the state spelling contest, having won the prize of the Allen county contest, held at Lima, Saturday, May 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rublen were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Baxter.

Miss Thelma Fetter is employed at J. K. Lyle's.

Miss Carrie Griffiths, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Griffiths, and Ernest Sneary, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sneary, of Vaughnsville, were married at Lima at the court house, Tuesday morning, May 16, at 10:30 o'clock, by Rev. Bougher, from the Christian church at Vaughnsville. In about a week the young couple will go to Vaughnsville, where they expect to go to housekeeping.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Griffiths of Lima, were Sunday guests at Owen Griffiths.

Mrs. Marion Watt and son Harold of Lima, spent Wednesday at G. R. Fetter's.

There will be church services at Union Chapel Sunday morning, May 21, following Sunday school, which begins at 9:30, standard time.

Two Hessian Poets.
Hessians who served England as mercenaries during the Revolutionary war provided this country with some admirably sturdy farmer folk, but also introduced two great rural pests, the Hessian fly, destroyer of wheat, and the white field daisy, which to this day is known among New Jersey farmers as the Dutch curse, an echo of its origin.—Indianapolis News.

A want ad in the Times-Democrat will bring quick results

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CLASSIFIED
Classified ads, one cent per word, three insertions for the price of two. Position wanted—Free.

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PHONE YOUR WANT ADS TO THE LIMA TIMES-DEMOCRAT
WANTED

WANTED—Good girl for general housework, in small family. No washing or ironing. Good wages. Mrs. Samuel Tigner, 220 S. Main St. 5-19-17

WANTED—To rent 2 or 3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished in central district, west of Main St. Can give best of reference. No children. State price and location. Address C, care of this office. 5-17-17

WANTED—Why not get 5 per cent on your savings account which we pay, instead of 4 per cent, elsewhere. No charge for pass books or banks. The Central Building and Loan company, City Building, 117 West High street. 4-26-1mo.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—60 acre farm, 7 miles northeast of Lima, on Findlay road, buildings in fair condition. For particulars, inquire of Wm. F. McCoy, 410 South Main St. Street; Phone State 3213. 1813

FOR SALE—20 new houses and bungalows in all parts of Lima—Prices \$1,000 to \$5,000. Cash or easy terms. If you want to buy a home, see us. Phone Main 1026 Home Builders, Room 110, Savings Building. 11

TO LEASE—10 to 50 acres A-No. 1 black land to lease for corn. Call High 1976. 5-6-17

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—8 room house and bath. Modern in every way, electricity and gas. Enquire 226 W. McKibben or Phone State 2893. 1813

FOR RENT—Thorough modern room for gentleman, four squares from Main St. on W. Spring, in private family. Also room for a nurse. For reference inquire at Y. M. C. A. or call at 523 W. Spring or phone State 2567. 5-16-17

FOR RENT—Room 15x50, 3rd floor Times-Democrat building. Suitable for light manufacturing, jobbing, or can be divided into offices. Inquire Times-Democrat office. 2-9-17

FOR RENT—A 4-room flat on west Vine St., second house from Met-calf street car line. Desirable location for person employed at South Side shops. Rent reasonable. Call Phone 3698. 11

FOR RENT.
5 room strictly modern flat, 452 1/2 S. Main St. \$18.00
JOHN M. BOOSE & SON,
200-201 Black Block.
(Phone Main 5394.)
Real Estate General Insurance.

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YOUNG MAN—Age 26 wishes position immediately. Best of references. High school and university graduate (law). Experienced in advertising, banking and salesmanship. Address care of Times-Democrat, No. 301. 1913

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Modern Methods & Waste Disposal
9-3212

\$100,000.00 TO LOAN AT FIVE PER CENT, on good improved farms on long time, and partial payment privilege. Phone Main 3217, or call and see me.
G. E. FOLSON
Real Estate and Loan Broker
Rooms 2 and 3 Holmes Block.

Want ads in The Times-Democrat always bring quick answers.

CHARLES E. ECKERT & SON
Funeral Directors
210 S. MAIN ST.
Phone Main 1481 9-317

THE OHIO WINDOW CLEANING COMPANY
offers long experience in thorough cleaning of windows against a reasonable charge. Good service guaranteed.
Cleaning in private residences a specialty.
Call us—
Lake 1899
215 Holmes Building
Find it in Times-Democrat want column.

NEW INCORPORATIONS.
COLUMBUS, O., May 19.—C. K. Merrill company, Toledo, \$75,000. C. K. Merrill, B. M. Merrill, John Craig.
F. K. Vaughn Building company, Hamilton, \$10,000. F. K. Vaughn, Emmett F. Corbin, Mabel E. Vaughn. Canton Scrap Iron company, Canton, \$10,000. B. Berkman, L. V. Rudner, M. Rudner.
Elmer Miller Coal company, Toledo, increase from \$25,000 to \$50,000.
Crucible Steel Forge company, Cleveland, increase from \$25,000 to \$300,000.
Weatherhead Drug company, Cincinnati, decrease from \$35,000 to \$2,500.

SPECIAL SPECTACLES FOR GOLF PLAYERS

To overcome the undesirable tendency to move the head or sway the body while striking a golf ball a pair of golf spectacles has been patented, the circular lenses of which are opaque; each has a small hole near its center. The lenses fit snugly in their frames, which are held together by a coil spring through which extends a slideable bridge bar. This arrangement permits the spectacles to be fitted firmly to the nose. Each lens may be turned in its frame so as to bring the holes a distance apart that is suited to the eyes of the wearer. These spectacles, properly adjusted, permit a player to see only directly in front of him. If he turns his head when about to strike a ball, the ball is shut off from his view and the player is forced to correct his bad form.—From the June Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Why Suffer With Backache, Kidneys or Rheumatism? "ANURICI!"

The Newest Discovery in Chemistry. Eminent Medical Authorities Endorse It.

A New Remedy for Kidney, Bladder and all Uric Acid Troubles.

Dr. Eberle and Dr. Brathwaite as well as Dr. Simon—all distinguished authors—agree that what-ever may be the disease, the urine

urination bother or distress you, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, gout or sciatica, or you suspect kidney or bladder trouble just write Dr. Pierce, at the Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.; send a sample of urine and describe symptoms. You will receive free medical advice after Dr. Pierce's chemist has examined the urine—this will be carefully done without charge, and you will be under no obligation. Doctor Pierce, during many years of experimentation has discovered a new remedy which is thirty-seven times more powerful than lithia in removing uric acid from the system. If you are suffering from backache or the pains of rheumatism, go to your best druggist and ask for a 50-cent box of "Anurici," put up by Doctor Pierce. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for weak women and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the blood have been favorably known for the past forty years and more. They are standard remedies to-day, as well as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets for the liver and bowels. You can have a sample of any one of these remedies in Tablet form by writing Dr. Pierce.

seldom fails in furnishing us with a clue to the principles upon which it is to be treated, and accurate knowledge concerning the nature of disease can thus be obtained. If backache, scalding urine or frequent

To the Woman Who Realizes She Needs Help.

You are nervous. You have "craving spells." You are dejected. You don't sleep well. You have backache. You have lost ambition for your work. You are beginning to feel old and look old! These symptoms, more than likely, are produced by some weakness or derangement.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION
(In Tablet or Liquid Form)
"Will aid you in regaining youthful health and strength—just as it has been doing for over forty years for women who have been in the same condition of health you now find yourself. It restores and invigorates. It rebuilds and uplifts."

NO JAILS AFTER WAR FOR SUFFRAGISTS SAYS MILITANT GIRL

Miss Pankhurst Declares Men Will Appreciate Women's Help.

German Women Will Have to Fight Own Battle, She Avers.

ROME, Italy, May 19.—"It won't be necessary for women to smash windows to go to jail to get their rights when this war is over," said Miss Cristobel Pankhurst to a correspondent of The Associated Press during her visit here for the purpose of forming a closer organization of the women of Italy with those of France and England.

"This war is helping the cause of women wonderfully," she continued. "We are helping the men with all our might, with all our strength, and I am sure they will appreciate this fact when the war is over. Besides, Europe then will be mentally and spiritually 50 years ahead of where it was before the war started. There has been an exaggeration, for instance, of the amount of physical destruction caused by it, but one cannot exaggerate the mental awakening it has brought, and this means a broader outlook on the position of women."

"This mental revolution was sorely needed both in England and in Germany. I feel that in helping to down Germany, as the women of England, France Italy and Russia are doing, by their physical work, we are putting down the great enemy of womankind. The Kaiser, you know, has always frustrated the efforts of German women to rise from their subordinate position, and he typifies the attitude of the German men. At that, however, the German women will have to fight out their own salvation after the war, along with the men. They won't get any help from us. There has been too much internationalism heretofore. Now, it will be a matter for each nation to solve many of its own problems and in particular the German nation."

"England has been driven out of conservatism, at last. We women have shown English men that we are worth something, that we are not inferior creatures. I am sure that if women had had a say in the conduct of the war England would have been ready quicker. One of our misfortunes has been that the young men, the open-minded men, have gone to the front to fight leaving the old and slow minded men, in charge. Take the case of the effort to get steel helmets for the men so that they might be protected from bullets and especially from bits of exploding shells. After these helmets had proven useful in France, the old men in England were still discussing the advisability of using them."

"If women had been in charge of the supplying of their soldiers with protecting helmets, do you suppose they would have hesitated to manufacture them in a hurry? Women are too efficient for that. Besides their very love would have urged them on."

"Possibly the largest lesson for men in this war, as regards us, is that women know how to do man's work, and often better than men themselves. English women are driving motor cars, are working in the factories, on their arms, everywhere. In England we have once more learned the lesson of the dignity of labor with hands, and with woman's hands at that. Today no woman in England, no matter what her rank, is afraid to work, and this is a lesson we in England will not forget after the war. That's one reason why I have always admired the people in the United States—they appreciate the honor of labor, of hard work, and are not ashamed of it. God pity them if their wealth makes them ever forget this truth."

"This dignity of labor, of woman's labor, is going to have a large influence on the marriage question, on the question of population. It has been asked, 'What will become of the young men of Europe of marriageable age after the war is over, when there are not enough husbands to go around, or when men feel themselves too poor to get married and assume the responsibilities of family life.'"

"Well, the women who must go unmarried will bear their hard lot as they have always borne it. They will work and keep on contributing their services to the nation, in a greater degree than in the past. But we must admit that a happy marriage is the only sensible thing for any woman, and I think that the marrying man's fear of poverty will be gotten around in this way: Women are ready to work now outside of their homes, there is no longer any stigma attached to it, and they will keep on doing so, joining their wages with that of their husbands to maintain the home."

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Because they contain the best liver medicine, no matter how bitter or nauseating for the sweet sugar coating hides the taste. Dr. King's New Life Pills contain ingredients that put the liver working, move the bowels freely. No griping, no nausea, aid digestion. Just try a bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills and notice how much better you feel. 25c at your drug list.

COMANT ITEMS.

Mrs. J. R. Meeker and daughter were Kempton callers, Monday.

Roby Thomas, of Cridersville, called on Samuel Thomas, Sunday.

Harry McPherson, of St. Marys, visited with Roy Buggs, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sibert called on Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fritz, Sunday.

The promotion of the eighth grade pupils of Amanda township was publicly recognized in their commencement exercises Friday evening, May 5, at the Amanda Baptist church. The program consisted of literary selections by 12 members of the graduating class, an inspiring class address by Rev. Pence, and excellent music by a quartet composed of Miss Cecil Kephart, Mrs. Rose Kephart, Robert and Charles Mitchell, with Miss Cecil Kephart as soloist and Joy Kephart, accompanist. Certificates of promotion were awarded to the following pupils: Ethelind Bowsher, Ivan Boyer, Gerald Coon, Ross Cowler, Edgar Eley, Mamie Fisher, Iva Haverstick, Clair KRAFT, Cleo Miller, Roy Pat-

terson, Beatrice Peters, Addie Sawmiller, Roy Shobe, Elsie Stalter, Lenora Stamen, Ross Strayer, Earl Sunderland, Hazel Sunderland, Hazel Whiting; pupils residing in Spencer township promoted to high school: Orell Wells, Fred Rupert, Mary Parry, Dina Oulhoff, Florence Gollie, Roy Carey, Alice Shorer, Gertrude Lawer, Amanda special, Harman Lels, Charles Fritz.

Edward Hanley, one of the oldest pioneers of Amanda township, died at the home of his son Louis, Monday afternoon at the age of 81 years. Funeral will be held at Christie Chapel, Wednesday afternoon, and will be laid to rest in the cemetery near by.

D. F. Sunderland called on James F. Briggs, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Shobe visited relatives in Spencerville, Sunday.

Sheep shearing seems to be the order of the day around here.

Mrs. J. F. Briggs was a Spencerville caller, Tuesday.

Hixon Crites and family, of Lima, called on Brent Hoyer, Tuesday.

Miss Irene Bowers has her school at District No. 4 for the coming fall.

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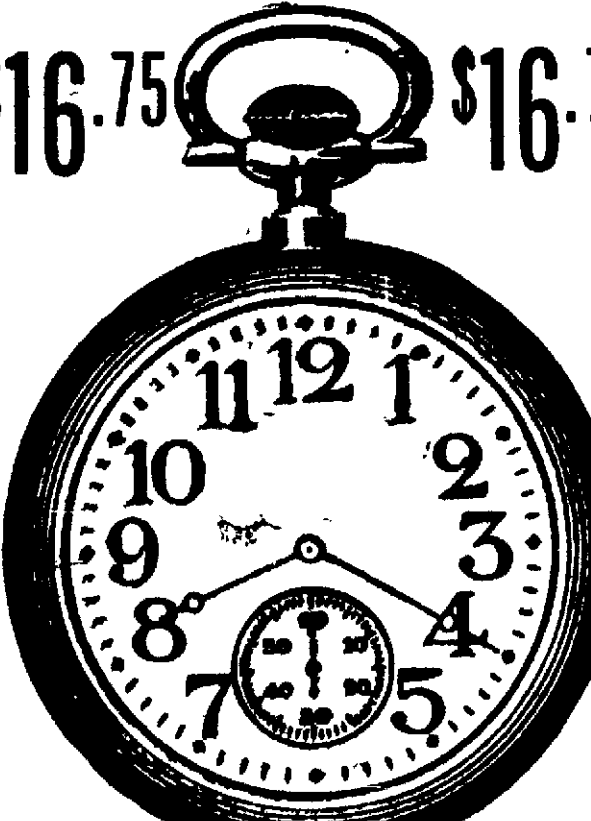
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LOOK FOR OUR SIGN OVER BOSTON STORE

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We have arranged with the manufacturers of B. P. S. Products to give you the service of a Paint and Varnish expert for

May 19th to 23rd, Inclusive

As paint dealers we feel an obligation to our trade to carry a reliable brand of goods, also to give hints and suggestions, if desired, on their use and application. Just at this season, when everyone has some painting or finishing to be done we thought you would appreciate talking with a special paint man who understands the subject thoroughly.

Mr. C. L. Vandeman will be glad to show you the best methods of finishing and decorating a new home or refinishing old floors, woodwork and furniture, to help select suitable color combinations in house paint or to suggest remedies for paint and varnish troubles of any kind. We urge you to make the most of this opportunity, the service being at our expense and free to all our patrons. Remember the day.

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Everything in the Drug and Sundry line, at the
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Phone Main 5342
Magazines Stationery

During the heavy rain here Sunday there was quite a bit of hail. The Freshman class of the Delphos high school held a class picnic at the park Saturday afternoon.

Wart ads in The Times-Democrat always bring quick answers.

TOLEDO—Popcorn is a decided novelty to Europeans according to Mrs. Broad Whitlock, wife of the American minister to Belgium. Mrs. Whitlock has written to friends that she has given three popcorn parties, the beneficiaries being members of the American legation and Brussels friends.

There isn't a merchant in this city who will not do the right thing by the public. The people should have a saving their money in Lima.

We Trust You

Remember Those Who Graduate With a Gift From the WINDSOR

Don't disappoint your little friends who are to graduate. The Windsor trusts you for all the jewelry you want so you can remember all of them.

FOR THE GIRL-DIAMONDS-FOR THE BOY

50c Per Week Buys a Host of Gift Articles

Beautiful sparkling gem, 14 karat solid gold mounting. Pay 50c cash. Balance 50c week. \$25

Wrist Watches
American movement, engraved or fancy cases. **\$8.75**

Wrist Watches
15 Jewel adjusted movement, plain or engraved case. **\$15.75**

Many Styles to Select From

We guarantee every Watch and Diamond we sell.

Windsor Perfected Credit system makes payment for the present you select so easy you never miss the money.

50c AND WEAR A WATCH OR DIAMOND

Elgin Watches
Guaranteed 17 jewel movement, guaranteed gold filled case. **\$12.50**

50c Weekly

Hamilton, Howard, Illinois, Waltham Watches on credit.

WINDSOR
Liberal Credit System makes it easy for you to own a good time-piece. Payments arranged in such a way you never miss the money.

WINDSOR JEWELRY CO.
2nd Floor Holmes Block—Over Boston Store

OPEN SATURDAY EVENINGS TILL 10 O'CLOCK

ADVERTISING SALE CONTINUES TO SATURDAY, MAY 20

Your Last Opportunity to get a \$1.00 Bottle of Worner's Famous Rattlesnake Oil for 50c

Owing to the great demand and at the request of scores of local citizens, Mr. Worner will continue the advertising sale of his famous oil to the above date. This remedy has positively proven its worth in hundreds of cases and is endorsed by scores of Lima citizens and stands alone in successful treatment of all pains and aches. See the handling and killing of the Monster Rattlesnakes FREE.

F. M. WORNER, 312 North Main Street
Butler's and Hunter's Will Sell the Remedies at the Above Price Until the Closing Date.